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The Daily Commercial

A Veteran Statesman Departed.

A telegram from Detroit, received at one o'clock this morning, announced the death of the Hon. Lewis Cass, the distinguished statesman, in the eighty-fourth year of his age, which event took place at his residence in that city Sunday morning, at 4 o'clock. General Cass was born in Exeter, New Hampshire, October 9th, 1782, and was the oldest son of Jonathan Cass, a captain in the Continental Army during the Revolutionary War. In his seventeenth year he removed with his father to Wilmington, Del., and in 1800 the family removed to Marietta, Ohio, descending the Ohio River from Pittsburgh in a flatboat, then the only means of conveyance. At Marietta, Lewis studied law, and in 1802 was admitted to the bar and commenced practice at Zanesville. In 1806 he married Elizabeth Spencer, whose father resided in Wood county, Va. Shortly after his marriage he was elected a member of the Ohio Legislature, and subsequently he was appointed by President Jefferson, United States Marshal for Ohio.

When hostilities were begun with Great Britain, in 1812, Mr. Cass was appointed Colonel of one of the three Ohio regiments, and it is claimed that he was the first man who stepped in arms upon British soil in that war. His mortification at Hill's surrender caused him to break his sword when asked to deliver it up. In January, 1813, he was appointed Colonel in the regular army, and in March was made a Brigadier General. He participated in the victory of the Thames, and shortly after was appointed Governor of Michigan, where he settled with his family. In 1816 he purchased a homestead in Detroit of five hundred acres, paying therefor $12,000 in cash. He held the office of Governor of Michigan for sixteen years, and in 1831 President Jackson called him to the Cabinet as Secretary of War. In 1836, Mr. Cass exchanged his seat in the Cabinet for the position of Ambassador to France, which he resigned in 1842. In 1844, he was a candidate for the Democratic nomination of President, but was defeated by James K. Polk. In 1845, he was elected a United States Senator from the State of Michigan. In the Baltimore Democratic Convention, May 22, 1848, General Cass was nominated for the Presidency on the fourth ballot, but was defeated at the November election by General Zachary Taylor. Having resigned his seat in the Senate after his nomination for President, he was re-elected thereto in June, 1849, and in March, 1851, was again re-elected for a term of six years. In 1852 he was again defeated for the Democratic nomination for President, Franklin Pierce being the successful candidate. In March, 1857, he took a seat in the cabinet of James Buchanan. Owing to the course of the administration in the secession troubles, General Cass resigned his office as Secretary of State, and retired to private life, at his home in Detroit, where he remained until his death. During the war, on more than one occasion his voice was heard on the Campus Martius, Detroit, encouraging enlistments and speaking words of cheer to the volunteers in the Union army.

THE GOLD FLURRY IN NEW YORK.

The Rise in the Price for the Week—European Private Advices.

Commenting on the foreign news, the New York *Commercial*, of Saturday noon, says: At 10 A. M. the price was quoted at 151, and at half past twelve P. M. had reached 158½. The shorts find themselves in a bad "corner," and are paying ¼ per cent. per day on borrowed gold. Some parties heavily *short* have adopted the expedient of borrowing exchange and realizing gold upon it, with the condition that an equivalent amount of exchange of a like quality be returned within sixty days.

The following have been the highest and lowest quotations for gold on each of the last seven days:

	Highest.	Lowest.
June 9	140	139¼
June 11	139¾	137¾
June 11	141	140½
June 13	145¼	142¼
June 14	145¾	143¼
June 15	148½	147¾
June 16, to 12:30 P. M.	158½	151

Gold quotations reported by White, Morris & Co., No. 29 Wall street:

10:30 A. M.	154¼
11:00 A. M.	155½
11:30 A. M.	155
12:00 M.	156
12:30 P. M.	158¼
1:00 P. M.	158
1:30 P. M.	158¾

The *Commercial* has the following: A London letter to a New York banking firm, dated June 6th, P. M., says:

"Money is working easier. The bills of the London Joint Stock Bank, the London and Westminster Bank, and of Rothschilds and Browns are in demand at 7@8 per cent. The specie arrivals are an immense thing for American credit. The amount sent from America is everywhere admitted to have saved general bankruptcy in England."

The letters to other banking houses in this city are very much to the same effect. It is a gratifying fact that the acceptances of London banks connected with New York stand in the highest credit on the London money market, being negotiable at 2@3 per cent. below the Bank of England rate.

Telegraphic dispatches of the 6th, from Amsterdam to a leading drawer of francs, quote Five-twenties at 67½ ex int., at 2½ florins per dollar, and exchange on London 11.55 florins; which is about the same as London quotations. The latest quotations for American securities at London are given in another column.

THE FOREIGN NEWS.

The Impending War—Magnitude of the Armies.

The European conference having failed, the only alternative now is war, and we may at any moment receive news of the commencement of hostilities. The pretexts are numerous. The Prussians may attempt to drive the Austrian garrison out of Holstein, or Austria may take the initiative of an attack on Silesia or march an army into Italy. The Italians are in a blaze of enthusiasm, and for the time being the original points of dispute are lost sight of in the overshadowing importance of the Venetian question. Even if Prussia and Austria were to come to an agreement, it seems impossible to allay the martial ardor of Italy by anything short of the expulsion of Austria from the Peninsula. The people and the Government are united as one man, and in their present temper it is within the bounds of probability to anticipate that they would dash themselves against Austria, even if unsupported by a single ally. But in no case is Italy likely to be isolated. The war once commenced between Austria and Italy would rapidly extend over Europe. How it is likely to end is a question that cannot be predicted. But from present appearances it will probably be short, sharp and decisive. Not even during the great wars of the First Napoleon were there larger armies in the field. The forces of Austria are estimated at eight hundred thousand men. Italy is preparing to place her whole able-bodied male population in the field. Prussia has a larger and better equipped army than ever before; and, if France should take the field, it is probable that the contending armies may reach an aggregate of two and a half millions of men.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

The mother of Senator Sumner died in Boston, on Saturday, at the age of 81.

A large portion of the village of Caryville, Genesee county, New York, was destroyed by fire on Saturday night. The loss will reach $100,000.

The reports from the Russian telegraphic expedition continue to be very encouraging.

Judge Hill, of the United States District Court of Mississippi, has decided the test oath unconstitutional.

Hon. James Humphreys, member of Congress from the Third district of New York, died in Brooklyn on Saturday morning.

The appearance of the cholera has not appreciably affected emigration. Over 1,000 arrived in New York last week.

The anniversary of the battle of Secessionville was observed in Charleston on Saturday to show respect to the memory of the Confederate dead. The ladies decorated the graves of soldiers with flowers. Addresses were delivered, dirges sung, bells tolled, &c.

Walter B. Watson, the murderer of Catherine Tenter, in Cincinnati, was sentenced, on Saturday, to be hung on the 31st of August.

There were two deaths reported from cholera in New York on Friday. There were two new cases in quarantine, and one death. The number under treatment is forty-nine.

The amount received thus far by the Excise Board of New York for licenses, is one million dollars.

John Ross, Chief of the Cherokees, is so ill that little hopes of his recovery are entertained.

The Richmond *Enquirer* states that Jefferson Davis himself informed a lady recently, that his health had visibly improved since he has been allowed exercise.

Mortimer Gibbony, one of the murderers of Abraham Deems, was hung at Parkersburg, West Virginia, on Friday.

The Masonic temple, corner Third and Walnut streets, Cincinnati, was destroyed by fire on Friday, to the extent of fifteen thousand dollars.

Advices from St. Domingo state that the revolution against President Baez was increasing in dimensions. The Capital was closely besieged by the insurgents. There is but little doubt of the success of the Revolutionists.

Col. W. W. Seaton, for a long period identified with the *National Intelligencer*, died on Saturday of cancer, from which he had been suffering for several months.

FIRST EDITION.

12 O'CLOCK, M.

THE CAPITAL.

Mr. Stevens on Mexican Affairs.

SYMPATHY WITH THE FENIANS.

No Duel Between Rousseau and Grinnell.

NATIONAL FINANCIAL POLICY.

The Impending European War.

We are to Maintain a Prosperous Neutrality.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, June 16, 1866.

Thad. Stevens on the Mexican Question.

Thad. Stevens appeared in the House to-day and delivered a speech on Mexican affairs which took every body by surprise. He boldly denounced Maximilian, and declared that this Government should give some practical expression of its intention to enforce the Monroe doctrine. To this end he was willing that this Government should endorse the fifty million loan, now under earnest consideration by the House Committee on Foreign Affairs. It may be added in this connection that the Committee hope to report on the subject during the coming week.

Sympathy with the Fenians.

On Monday Mr. Boutwell, of Massachusetts, if he can get the floor, intends to make a speech on the Fenian question, in which he will take strong grounds of sympathy with it. General Banks will also probably report on the resolutions referred to the Foreign Committee on Monday last.

The Parole of Davis.

The friends and counsel of Jeff. Davis have renewed with vigor the application to the President for the parole of Davis.

The Rumors of a Duel

Between General Rosseau and some of Grinnell's friends, published to-day, prove to be utterly unfounded.

General Canby,

Who was called to Washington from New Orleans, has had an interview with the President and Cabinet in council.

The Absorbing Topics.

The extraordinary advance in gold to-day, the European war news, and the speech of Thad. Stevens on the Mexican question, are absorbing conversation this evening, and are discussed very spiritedly. The first topic has caused a general inquiry among our local bankers and brokers at the Treasury Department as to what new policy is to be developed in this emergency. Secretary McCulloch, without eliminating any course of action in answer to these anxious interrogatories, asserts very confidently that the financial interests of the Government will not be permitted to be jeopardized, however much demoralization may reign in the precincts of Wall street.

The European War.

In high governmental circles, the culminating news of the European imbroglio, does not fall unexpectedly. No longer ago than yesterday the Secretary of State stated privately to a distinguished diplomat with whom he was dining, that a collision of empires was un-avertable, and that the peace conference must sooner or later prove utterly abortive in all its efforts to maintain European tranquility. The Secretary also decidedly asserted that in the event of a general broil across the sea, the United States would serenely maintain a most prosperous neutrality, and reap ten fold the commerce she lost during our own insurrection through the cupidity of England and France.

THIRTY-NINTH CONGRESS

MILEAGE PAID TO MEMBERS.

Proposition to Loan Mexico $10,000,000.

Death of Representative Humphrey.

WASHINGTON, June 16, 1866.

HOUSE.

Mr. GARFIELD gave notice that he would, next Monday, offer a resolution directing the Committee on Mileage to examine and report what discrepancy, if any, there was between the amount of mileage received by the members of the 3d Congress and the amount claimed by them, and directing the Committee to allow no more mileage in future to a member than is claimed by him. He explained the reason why he wished the resolution to be adopted. On looking into the documents showing the pay and mileage of members for the last Congress, he found himself set down as being paid for 2,749 miles of travel, being for 685 miles four times, whereas he had only claimed, in answer to the circular sent him by the Chairman of the Committee on Mileage, 365 miles as the distance from his home to Washington. That multiplied by four would make the number of miles for which he should have been paid 2,260, so that he was paid for 489 miles more than he had claimed. In writing his mileage of fifty and one hundred dollars at a time, he did not notice this discrepancy, but it was only by referring to the document that he became aware of the fact. He found how, on inquiry, that other members from Ohio and perhaps from all parts of the country, had been allowed more mileage than they had claimed. The gentleman from Cleveland (Mr. Spalding) claimed for only 510 miles, and was allowed for 634, and his colleague (Mr. Schenck) claimed for only 639 miles, and was allowed for ... The letters in which they stated the number of miles traveled, in reply to the circular of the Chairman of the Committee on Mileage, were on file in the room of the Sergeant-at-Arms, endorsed with the increased number ... approved J. W. W., the initials of Mr. ..., of Ohio, Chairman of the Committee. In the case of his colleague (Mr. Schenck), he had discovered on being paid the balance due on the last day of Congress, the discrepancy, and had declined to receive the increased amount. It appeared that the Committee on Mileage had in this way got up a scale of distances utterly unknown to the members, and the whole thing was published to Congress and the country, and members were set down as having received a very considerable amount more than they had claimed. He therefore gave this notice, that he would next Monday ask unanimous consent to offer the resolution directing the Committee on Mileage to inquire into the matter.

No business being in order except general debate on the President's annual message, Mr. JULIAN made a speech in favor of the Congressional plan of reconstruction.

Mr. STEVENS gave notice of his intention to offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on Foreign Affairs be instructed to inquire as to the propriety of loaning to the republic of Mexico, on proper securities, ten millions of dollars, to enable that republic to prevent the overthrow of its government and the establishment of a monarchial government on the continent of America.

He addressed the House in favor of the proposition.

Speeches were made by Mr. NIBLACK on general politics, by Mr. DAVIS on the tariff question, and by Mr. KERR against Congressional interference with the railroad system of the country. Many other members who designed making speeches to-day, and who had no opportunity of doing so, were authorized to have them published in the *Globe* as part of the debate.

Mr. DAVIS announced that since the meeting of the House, he had received a telegram, announcing the death this morning, after a short illness, of Mr. James Humphrey, Representative of the Third District of New York. He moved as a mark of respect that the House adjourn, and he gave notice to the New York delegation of a meeting to arrange a programme for paying due respect to the memory of the deceased.

The House thereupon at 3:45 P. M. adjourned.

About Cholera and its Treatment.

Dr. Swan, of Providence, published a communication in the Boston *Medical Journal*, in which he expresses the opinion that the cholera in its present development in Europe, is in many respects unlike the epidemic of former years. Though severe in some places, it has not been so wide-spread and generally prevalent; it did not continue to show itself through the winter in England and France as in the winters of 1832 and 1833; as the spring opens it has not appeared in England, and has not appeared so generally in emigrant vessels as in those years. If it does obtain a foothold at all in this country, he believes it will be to a limited extent only, and will not be severe except where the local causes are unusually bad.

Death of a Member of Congress.

Hon. James Humphrey, Member of Congress from Brooklyn, died in that city on Friday night at two o'clock. He was born at Fairfield, Connecticut, in 1811, and graduated at Amherst College, in 1831. His father, the Rev. Dr. Heman Humphrey, was a distinguished clergyman. Mr. Humphrey studied law and started in practice in Louisville, Ky. He moved to New York in 1838, when he took a high rank in his profession. He was elected to Congress in 1858, and again in 1864. He was a Republican, and a hard working Representative, leaving his mark rather in Committee work than in speech-making.

TENNESSEE BONDS.—The July, 1866, coupon on the Bonds of the State of Tennessee will be paid on or after July 1st at the National Bank of the Republic, in New York. The 30 per cent. arrearages of interest since 1861, up to and including the January, 1866, coupon, are fundable into new bonds of the same tenor as the original issues, upon which a July, 1866, coupon falls due and will be paid on presentation as above. This added 30 per cent. increases the mortgage lien of the State upon the railways, to the construction of which the bonds were originally applied, from $10,000 per mile to $13,000 per mile. In addition to the interest on this $13,000 lien the Railway Companies are now required to contribute ... per cent. a year by way of sinking fund for the redemption of the principal.

THE TIDE OF EMIGRATION.—The reappearance of the cholera has apparently had little or no effect thus far in checking the tide of emigration flowing Westward from abroad. During May, 1865, 17,659 emigrants sailed from the ..., while the number for last month reached ..., being an increase of 995.

FROM EUROPE.

FOUR DAYS LATER NEWS.

Arrival of the City of Paris.

THE EUROPEAN IMBROGLIO.

Failure of the Paris Peace Conference.

Austria's Conditions in the Way

War Now Considered Inevitable.

Who will Strike the First Blow?

How the Different Armies are Constituted.

Reform and the Ministry in England.

Sir Morton Peto to Resume Business.

Another Heavy Failure in London.

U. S. Five Twenties, 64 and 64 1-4. Consols, 85 7-8 and 86.

Commercial and Financial News.

The Inman steamer City of Paris, Captain Kennedy, which left Liverpool at three o'clock on the afternoon of the 6th and Queenstown on the 7th of June, arrived at New York on Saturday morning.

FAILURE OF THE CONFERENCE NEGOTIATIONS.

The London *Times*, of the 5th inst., announces the abandonment of the proposed Conference. It says:

It is with the deepest regret that we announce that the hopes of settling by a Conference the disputes which now agitate Europe must be abandoned. The French Government has telegraphed to our own that in consequence of the persistence of Austria, in imposing conditions which would make the discussions nugatory, the conference will not be held. It would, indeed, be a mockery to call together the representatives of the great Powers on terms which would necessarily involve the immediate separation. We fear, then, that matters stand as they stood three weeks since, and that it now rests with the armed Powers to compose their disputes by negotiation between themselves, or to resort to the arbitrament of war.

This announcement by the *Times* was afterward confirmed from other sources, and the general feeling was that the last hope of peace had vanished.

A Paris telegram, of the 5th, says:

The French Government has sent a note to Vienna in reference to the reply given by Austria to the invitation for a Conference. The French Government regrets that this reply must be considered as a refusal to take part in the Conference, and, therefore, as frustrating the efforts for the preservation of peace.

England and Russia have declared through their representatives in Paris that, in their opinion, the reservation made by Austria in her reply to the invitation of the neutral Powers would prevent the Conference from having a useful result.

THE POINT OF ATTACK.

The London *Times*, of the 6th, says:

Daily, almost hourly, the chances of peace fade away. Should the sword be drawn, it is from the Elbe Duchies that we shall probably hear of the first serious events of the war, but the contest in this quarter cannot compare in importance with that which is impending on the frontier of two monarchies. At any moment the Austrians may burst into Silesia. It is not unlikely that the first great move of Austria will be an attempt to possess herself of this province. It would almost seem to be the hope of the conqueror in the coming campaign. The Emperor has probably been led to look for compensation in the province that was wrested from his House in the last war. This is to counterbalance Holstein and make up for Venetia, if Venetia should be lost. Here Prussia must defend herself, for there is no one to aid her. Even if she had a Western ally he could not penetrate into the heart of Europe. The only aid must come from Russia, and the Czar is now quite indisposed to take up arms against the Northern Power. If Prussia seizes Holstein it is, therefore, not unlikely that Austria will at once cross the frontier. The Emperor is eager to show his strength and to gain reputation at the outset by a decided success. Whether Benedek will advance through Saxony or Berlin, or contest himself with a provincial campaign for the conquest of Silesia itself, the first few days of the war must determine. But in either case all the resources of the Prussian monarchy must be called forth in order to enable it to make head against its late ally.

DIPLOMATIC CROSS-FIRE BETWEEN AUSTRIA AND PRUSSIA.

The *Daily News*, of the 6th, says:

Appearances indicate that a declaration of war, or a manifesto equivalent to it, will proceed from Prussia. The King's Government has issued a circular note to the minor Powers, charging the Government of Austria with a flagrant breach of treaties by referring the Holstein successor to the Diet, and the object appears to be to establish the *casus belli*.

A Berlin dispatch, of the 6th, says:

The Prussian Government has addressed a dispatch to Vienna, declaring that the measures announced by Austria in the Federal Diet violate the treaty of Gastein and cause the suspension of the co-possession in the Duchies.

The two Powers are therefore restored to the position and rights accorded them by the Treaty of Vienna, which retains its European validity.

A circular note of Count Mensdorff, in reference to the late declaration made by Austria at the Federal Diet, has been published. It states that Austria will observe the Gastien Convention until a definite settlement of the question of the Duchies is effected. The proposals made by Austria at the Federal Diet had no other object than that of preparing such a definite settlement, and were only submitted to the Diet because it was not possible to obtain the consent of Prussia thereto.

THE AUSTRIAN ULTIMATUM.

The following was published before the announcement of the failure of the negotiations:

The Ministerial *Osterreichische Zeitung* publishes an article in reference to the programme semi-officially stated to have been proposed by Austria for the deliberations of the Conference at Paris, in accordance with which no extension of territory or increase of power would be allowed to any of the States invited to the Conference. This programme, says the *Osterreichische Zeitung*, does not render impossible an exchange of territory. Negotiations might be entered into for the cession of Venetia if Italy was to offer Austria a completely corresponding territorial compensation. In the same way the acquisition of the Elbe Duchies by Prussia could form the subject of discussion if that power were ready to cede to Austria a territory equal to the Duchy of Holstein. Until this is the case the treaty stipulation will be adhered to by the Austrian Government.

PRUSSIA THROWS DOWN THE GANULET.

This statement is confirmed by the London *Times*, in a special telegram dated Vienna, 4th inst., which says:

Prussia has informed Austria that in consequence of her having referred the Holstein question to the Bund, the Gastein Convention becomes invalid and the Prussian troops will enter Holstein.

The declaration made by the Austrian representative in the last sitting of the Federal Diet is joyfully received by all the Vienna press as a German deed by which the political situation is placed in a clear light. They consider that the question of peace or war must now soon be decided. Some journals declare that the Austrian declaration will hasten the outbreak of war, and that all hope of peace being preserved by a conference must be abandoned.

AUSTRIA, RUSSIA AND ITALY.—The Imperial decree had been issued suspending for the present, on account of the dangers menacing the southern parts of the Empire, the laws for the protection of personal liberty and inviolability in Venetia, the Austrian seaboard, Gorz and Gradisca, Southern Tyrol and Dalmatia. An order had also been issued empowering the General commanding the army of the North to suspend, in case of necessity, the above laws in all fortified places under his command, including their environs, and also in some other districts. He is furthermore empowered to establish military courts for the trial of civilians for certain offenses hitherto punishable by the ordinary penal code, and in certain contingencies to proclaim martial law.

The Lower House of the Hungarian Diet had instructed the Financial Committee to propose measures for adoption by the Diet, as a preparation against the commercial distress which threatens the country. The Municipality of Fiume has refused to comply with the request that the public treasures of that town should be sent to Agram on account of the imminence of war.

According to the Austrian *Military Gazette*, the Austrian army now amounts to 800,000 men. The army of operations will consist of 600,000, of whom 350,000 will oppose the Prussians, and 250,000 the Italians.

With respect to the Prussian army, the *Kolner Zeitung* says:

The mobilization of the army is completed. In a few days the organization of the army of operations will also be completed, when we shall have 432½ battalions of infantry, 321 squadrons of cavalry, 1,086 field pieces, 72 companies of fortress artillery, 9 battalions of pioneers, &c., all ready for action. This is the largest army ever Prussia set on foot.

The Italian journals are full of official orders respecting the formation of a squadron of guides, two battalions of riflemen, and twenty new battalions of volunteers. It is announced that the number of volunteers who have presented themselves for enrolment amount to 85,000. Two hundred and fifty Italian volunteers arrived from Egypt, and presented themselves for enrolment at the depots of Como and Varese. Typhus is said to have broken out in the Italian army at the frontiers, and troops are being forwarded every day to the Army of the Po and Peschiera. The headquarters of the army is swarming with soldiers. A train containing 100,000 bullets for the corps of Cialdini has been forwarded, and orders have been given for the immediate supply of 500,000 pair of boots.

An ordinance was published at Kiel on the 5th, signed by General Von Gablenz, convoking the estates of Holstein, by order of the Emperor of Austria, for the 11th of June.

The Saxon Chamber of Deputies had voted the credit requested by Government, and approved the projected armaments.

GREAT BRITAIN.—The debate on the Reform Bill was resumed in the House of Commons on the 4th instant, when a great number of speakers took part in the discussion. Earl Grosvenor declared his intention to support the Government, and said it had never been his desire to pass a vote of censure upon them. He hoped the amendment would be withdrawn, because if successful it would both defeat the bill and turn out the Government. After a long debate, Mr. Gladstone, in calm speech, declared that the bill had been deliberately prepared, that the intentions of the Government were sincere and earnest on the question, that a grave responsibility would rest with those who defeated the desire to pass the measure, and that in uniting the two bills Government had acted in a spirit of conciliation and compromise. Captain Hayter's amendment was then withdrawn, and the House went into Committee, without a division, when a motion to report progress was carried, and the House adjourned.

Speaking of the Ministerial crisis, the *Times* says:

There can indeed be no question but that the critical relations between Austria, Prussia, Italy and France have saved the Ministry. As for the present scheme of reform, its defects have been for some time patent to the world, that now the honor of the Government has been saved, there can be no reason why it should continue to engage the attention of the House of Commons.

The *Daily News* says:

The Government has defeated an amendment which, if it meant anything, meant a vote of want of confidence so far as the Reform Bill is concerned. If the Government can be said to be on its ways to victory, it is over a mined causeway against masked batteries, through a converging fire of ambushed enemies and deserters in the ranks behind them. This, we say, is a state of things which, neither for its own sake, nor for the sake of the party which is more important than a Ministry, of the cause which is more important than a party, is it desirable to prolong.

In the House of Commons, on the 5th, Mr. Gladstone confirmed the announcement that the Conference would not be held on account of the conditions demanded by Austria, and he regarded all prospect for the meeting of a Conference as at an end. He said both England and France had agreed that Austria's demands were tantamount to a refusal.

In the House of Commons on the 5th inst., Mr. Gladstone officially announced the failure of the negotiations, as follows: "General Peel—I beg to ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, or the Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, a question, whether it is true that the proposed Congress has been given up." The Chancellor of the Exchequer—"I am sorry to state that I must give an answer substantially in the affirmative to the question. The first communication made to the British Government to this effect was by a telegraph message from France, stating that in the opinion of the French Government, the conference was at an end, in consequence of an answer from Austria imposing conditions that were regarded as impracticable. We are now in possession of the Austrian dispatch on the subject, and the substance of it is that she required beforehand an assurance from all the powers which were to take part in the projected conference, that they should be ready to renounce the pursuit there of any special or particular interest to the detriment of the general tranquility, going on further to explain that sentiment by stating that as a condition to be complied with by cabinets desirous of peace, it appeared to Austria indispensable that they should be agreed beforehand to exclude from the deliberations of the conference anything that would tend to give to any of the States invited and attending at that meeting, any territoral augmentation or increase of power. To require such an agreement beforehand was regarded by France as equivalent to a refusal of conference or as making it impossible. The government of England are agreed in their view of the case with the government of France. All prospects, therefore, of a meeting of the conference must, we fear, be regarded as at an end."

It was understood in commercial circles that Messrs. Peto, Betts & Co., would resume business in a few days.

A committee of share holders of Overend, Gurney county, had suggested that the shareholders should advance at intervals, a sum equivalent to £10 per share in shape of a loan, and the creditors should be asked to accept debentures with a fixed rate of interest maturing at periods of one, two and three years. A meeting was to be held shortly to discuss the proposition.

FRANCE.—The Bourse on the 4th was extremely flat. Rentes closed at 62.75, more than one per cent. lower than on the 2d. On the 5th the depression increased, and quotations fell to 62.

SPAIN.—A royal decree had been issued raising the strength of the standing army to eighty-five thousand men.

The semi official *Correspondencia* states that the Spanish squadron merely withdrew after bombarding Callao on account of the orders it had received.

INDIA.—The Bombay mail of the 13th had arrived.

Serious disasters were anticipated at Bombay from the state of the cotton market, and a few great firms were expected to suffer very severely. Half a million bales of cotton had been shipped since January 1, and shippers would have to sustain a loss of three pence, four pence and five pence per pound.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.—The Cape of Good Hope mail of April 21 had arrived. The settlement of the Basuto war had been confirmed.

British Kaffraria had become an integral portion of Cape Colony. Large quantities of gold had been discovered in the neighborhood of Crocodile river.

The Latest via Queenstown.

LONDON, June 7.—Agra & Masterman's Bank has suspended payment. Liabilities heavy and widespread. The directors do not doubt that all will be paid in full, and that only an inconsiderable amount of the paid up capital will be lost. The event caused considerable commercial depression, although it was not expected.

The crisis on the continent continues.

War is apparently inevitable.

LIVERPOOL, June 7.—The steamer Bremen, from New York, arrived at Southampton on the 6th.

Financial and Commercial.

On the 4th and 5th inst., the assumption that an immediate outbreak of war was certain, counteracted to some extent the progress of recovery from the money panic. The discount demand at the Bank was moderate the best bills being negotiable in open market at 8 per cent.

On the Stock Exchange there was no pressure, and advancing Government securities were offered at 8½ per cent. There was no expectation that a reduction of bank rate might be looked for next week. Consols closed at 85⅞ ex div.

LIVERPOOL, June 6—P. M.—Cotton—The market on Monday was very active, and prices advanced about ½d per pound. Yesterday and to-day a dull tone has prevailed, and the improvement is lost. Sales of three days 35,000, including 5,000 speculation and export.

Manchester Trade—The market has been rather active the last few days, but has now assumed a quiet tone. Prices, however, were unchanged.

Breadstuffs—Messrs. Richardson, Spence & Co., and Henry Jump & Sons report flour firm and holders demand higher prices, and in some cases obtained 6d a ... per sack more money, principally for French. American wheat, steady at late advances; winter red and southern, 13s 6d@14s 3d; French, 2d@3d per cental dearer. Indian Corn firmly offered at 3d decline; Mixed American, 28s 3d@28s 6d.

Provisions—Messrs. Bigland, Athya & Co., and Bruce & Co. report Beef quiet and lower; Pork inactive but unchanged; Bacon in rather better request and prices slightly in sellers' favor; Butter remains unaltered; cheese, the fine qualities firm—ordinary very dull—prices, ...; Lard dull and nominal; Tallow quiet but steady.

Produce—Ashes quiet; Pots, 30s. Sugar quiet, but steady. Coffee inactive. Rice—No sales. Linseed Oil quiet, but steady at 38s. Rosin dull. Spirits of Turpentine—No sales. Petroleum—Refined quiet and nominal. Refined, is ... per gallon.

LONDON, June 5.—Breadstuffs generally steady at late rates. Sugar quiet but firm. Coffee in fair demand. Tea quiet but steady. Rice—Small sales at late decline. Tallow slow of sale at 42s, 9d. ... on spot for P. Y. C.

THE LATEST.—Cotton very dull, and prices ½d. lower; sales to-day 4,000 bales, including 1,000 to speculators and exporters: middling uplands about 13¼d. Breadstuffs dull but firm. Provisions inactive.

LONDON, June 7.—Consols closed at 85⅞@86. United States Five-twenties, 64@64¼. Erie shares, 42@42½. Illinois Central, 75@75½.

CULVER'S FAILURE.

Stupendous Fraud Developed.

THE STATE IMPLICATED.

Ex-Auditor General Slenker Taken Up.

Probable Responsibility of the State for $1,500,000.

ARREST OF CULVER, PENN & CO.

A new phase in the failure of Culver, Penn & Co., has just been developed at the Auditor General's office, Harrisburg, which the *Telegraph* of Saturday afternoon states thus: The Petroleum Bank at Titusville, Crawford county, and the Venango Bank of Franklin, Venango county, had deposited with the Auditor General something like a million and a half of United States securities, as security for their circulating medium. By a rule in the Auditor General's office, as the notes of these banks were sent to that department for cancellation, such securities were returned to the officers of said banks in amounts equal to the notes cancelled. It is alleged, now, that Mr. Culver, with others implicated, who were neither officers nor agents of the Petroleum or Venango banks, procured from the Auditor General's office the securities thus deposited, that the officers connected with the Auditor General's office could not have but known that these securities were not being possessed by the officers of said banks, from the very fact that they were sent hence from the Auditor General's office to the branch banking house of Culver, Penn & Co., New York city. And General Slenker assumed a fearful responsibility, when he thus permitted irresponsible parties to carry from the Auditor General's office, a million and a half of money, to which they had no claim. The question now arises whether, by the act of the late Auditor General, the State is not made responsible for this loss. If Culver, Penn & Co. were officers connected with the Petroleum or Venango Bank, in drawing this money and sending it to New York, as they did, they were acting under false pretences. If they were not officers, then they were clearly guilty of embezzlement.

The people of the oil regions, by the failure of Culver, Penn & Co., have lost nearly six millions of dollars. To the loss thus entailed, the reckless mismanagement of the Auditor General's Office while under the control of Democratic officials, a million and a half of dollars is likely to be added, unless the Commonwealth can be made responsible for this mismanagement, when the amount will come out of the pockets of tax-payers.

Since the above was written and in type, we learn that the Auditor General has appointed Messrs. H. C. Alleman, E. C. Williams and Thomas J. Jordan, of this city, a commission to examine the affairs of the Venango Bank. The Auditor General, in the official paper announcing this appointment, declares that this bank has committed an act of insolvency, of which he has been furnished with satisfactory evidence. The members of the commission will proceed to Venango county, on Monday next, to discharge the duty devolved upon them.

The Titusville *Herald*, of Saturday morning, announces the arrest of Culver, Penn & Co., as follows: Yesterday morning Messrs. C. V. Culver, L. H. Culver and John R. Penn, comprising the firm of Culver, Penn & Co., were arrested at Franklin, by the Chief of Police from Harrisburg, upon a charge of embezzlement and fraud. The warrant was issued at the instance of the Petroleum Bank of Titusville. At last accounts they had not succeeded in obtaining the requisite bail.

DR. T. W. BELL, an eminent physician of Louisville, makes these observation in regard to cholera: "The cause of this disease acts alone at night and upon sleeping persons. No amount of exposure in the worst localities of the distemper, imperils the wakeful, moving individual. I have seen hundreds of instances of this fact without one aberration from the statement of the proposition. I have myself spent many a night in these localities during the ravages of the epidemic, and never felt that I was in any peril while I kept awake, and the best security for that is to keep in motion."

General Meade visited the Board of Trade Rooms in Buffalo on Saturday, and made a short speech. He was serenaded at night.

SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK A. M.

WASHINGTON.

Condition of Affairs in Texas.

Colonel Roberts in the City.

THE ROUSSEAU-GRINNELL AFFAIR.

Lives of Federal Officers Threatened in Charleston.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, June 17.

Affairs in Texas.

Governor Hamilton, of Texas, arrived to-day. He represents matters as quiet in Texas, though he does not regard the people as loyal now as they were one year ago. The cotton crop, he states, would have been very large in that State had it not been for the recent heavy floods which have destroyed at least one-half of it. He further adds the free labor system is working well.

Fenian Affairs.

Colonel Roberts, President of the Fenian Brotherhood, is in town, and is expected to speak to-morrow at the national fair. He has been called on by several members of Congress. Roberts, it is said, will appear before the House Committee on Foreign Affairs to urge the repeal of the neutrality laws.

The Rousseau-Grinnell Affair.

The special committee appointed by the House to investigate the assault committed on Mr. Grinnell have adjourned for one week. General Rousseau, who will be summoned before the Committee, has left the city for a week.

Ku-Kluxism in Charleston.

The *Chronicle* has letters from Charleston which state that several army officers stationed there have lately received serious threats of assassination.

Libel Suit.

In an important libel suit here, covering a case where the present Collector of Internal Revenue wrote a letter to the Secretary of War denouncing a man as disloyal, the party aggrieved has failed to produce the original letter, the Secretary of War refusing to give it up in a reply to an application by the court for the same. The attorney replied with the following decision: Letters on file with the heads of Departments are privileged communications; unless their publication have been authorized no copies should be taken at private request, and the production of the originals cannot be compelled in a suit between individuals. It has been ruled that such communications cannot be made the foundation of an action for libel; then I think the head of a department is bound not to produce a paper on file in his office.

Tax on Cigars.

Delegations of Western tobacco manufacturers are here to protest against the proposed modification by the Senate of the tax on cigars.

Canal.

Mr. Wentworth has presented a memorial to the House of citizens of Illinois, for a survey of the route of a canal connecting the Mississippi and Illinois rivers at Lasalle.

HIGHLY INTERESTING.

The Neutrality Laws—Violations of the Excise Law—Prizes Captured During The Rebellion—Treasury Statement—The Fenian Chiefs—Meeting Postponed, &c., &c.

NEW YORK, June 17.

THE NEUTRALITY LAWS.

The morning papers have the following specials from Washington:

The Committee on Foreign relations will probably be ready to consider the proposed repeal of our neutrality laws by week after next. Gen. Banks is expected to speak in advocacy of the measure, and Mr. Raymond will avail himself of the occasion to ventilate the Monroe Doctrine, and review the history of intervention.

INFRACTION OF THE EXCISE LAW.

The excise law was largely violated to-day, hundreds of liquor saloons being kept open secretly, while many lager beer shops sold freely.

MEETING POSTPONED.

A meeting of citizens advertised to be held in this city, has been indefinitely postponed.

PRIZES DURING THE REBELLION.

The records of the Fourth Auditor's office show that during the rebellion the naval forces of the United States captured over fifteen hundred prizes, some of which were worth as high as one hundred thousand dollars. Besides these, important captures of corn, rice, and cotton were made. It is stated that the Secretary of the Navy has netted over twenty million dollars as his share in these prizes.

THE FENIAN CHIEFS.

President Roberts, accompanied by Major Haggerty, arrived at the Metropolitan Hotel, at an early hour Saturday morning. The object of his visit is to induce the radical members of both Houses to give their support to the resolutions repealing the neutrality laws. He has had long conversations with Senators Wilson, Nye, Wade and Steward, Speaker Colfax, and Congressmen Wells, Grinnell and Orth, all of which are said to have expressed warm sympathy with the cause represented.

James Stevens has been visited by large numbers of the rank and file of the Fenian organization since the failure of the Canadian invasion scheme.

TREASURY STATEMENT.

The following statement shows the amount of available funds in the possession of the Treasury at the close of business, Saturday: Legal Tenders $300,000; National Bank Notes $7,107,210; Fractional Currency, mutilated, mixed and finished, $948,615; Gold, $392,500; Silver, $2,560; Cents, $500. Surplus issue of United States Notes, $37,932,125; Compound Interest Notes, $10,133,000; Compound Interest Notes in Redemption Division, $19,495,300. During the past week the Secretary of the Treasury authorized the following disbursements: Navy, $602,584; Interior, $178,911; War, $5,125; Total, $782,620.

THE CHOLERA.

Three Deaths in New York.

EFFORTS TO CHECK ITS SPREAD.

NEW YORK, June 17—Midnight.—Since last night's report, three deaths from cholera have occurred in this city—Jane McElroy, No. 36 Oak street; Robert Gibbert, 639 Water street, and Lewis Quackenboss, 227 West Eighteenth street. Mrs. Ann Donnos was attacked this morning, but was still alive this evening, though little hopes were entertained of her recovery.

At the quarantine, three deaths from cholera have occurred since last report, leaving forty-five under treatment on the hospital ship. The Board of Health are making every effort to check the spread of the scourge. Physicians are kept at headquarters, and cart loads of disinfectants to be carried promptly to the place where the disease has occurred. Considerable alarm is felt here to-night about the epidemic.

FROM NEW ORLEANS.

Sailing of Steamers—Destructive Fire.

NEW ORLEANS, June 17.—Sailed, steamers Huntsville, Stevedore and Mariposa, for New York.

Barrett & Loonz's extensive liquor warehouse, No 81 Gravier street, was burned last evening. Loss heavy, but unascertained.

ANOTHER VETERAN GONE.

DEATH OF GENERAL LEWIS CASS.

DETROIT, June 17.—General Lewis Cass died at four o'clock this morning, aged eighty-three years.

Union Pacific Railroad.

OMAHA, June 17.—One hundred and twelve miles of the Union Pacific Railroad were completed and examined by Government commissioners to-day. The track is being laid at the rate of a mile and a half per day. The road will be finished to Fort Kearney, two hundred miles, by October.

Probable Acquittal of the Rebel Major Gee.

RALEIGH, N. C., June 16.—The Gee Court Martial board was in session yesterday from eleven A. M. until one o'clock this morning, and came to a decision to submit their report. It will not be made public, but well based rumor says they are for an acquittal.

General Grant in Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, June 16.—General Grant arrived this morning. He has been receiving visitors all day at his rooms at the National Hotel where he was serenaded this evening by a large concourse of people, notwithstanding a quite severe rain storm during the serenade.

Fire in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, June 17.—A fire occurred this afternoon in the building on the southeast corner of Fourth and Main streets, occupied by the American Bank Note Company and others. It was damaged to the amount of $10,000. Insurance unknown.

THE Treasury Department at Washington has adopted the designs for the new United States Mint at Carson City, Nevada. The edifice will be built in the Italian style of architecture; will be two stories high; its general dimensions eighty-nine and one half by fifty-nine and one-half feet, and will be about forty feet from the ground to the cornice. The centre building will be fifty feet in length, with a pedimented front, surmounted by an observatory. The windows of the structure are to be narrow and circular-headed; the walls cyclopean, with stone base, belt courses, angle quoins, window dressings, &c. The basement will be occupied by furnaces for the annealing, ..., melting and weighing rooms, vaults and offices, while the second story will embrace the refining, assay and cabinet rooms, offices, vaults, &c., all conveniently and appropriately arranged with the necessary passages and communications.

COLLEGE COMMENCEMENTS.

Annual Commencements at Dickinson, Allegheny and Meadville, Pa., and other Colleges.

DICKINSON COLLEGE.

The eighty-third commencement of Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa., will take place on Thursday, June 28th. Prof. Samuel D. Hillman, A. M., will deliver the Baccalaureate Address on Sabbath next; the Junior Prize contest takes place on Monday evening; Class Day Exercises, at Emory Church, on Tuesday afternoon; oration before the Literary Societies, by Col. S. M. Bowman, Tuesday evening; oration before the Alumni Association, by Col. R. M. Henderson, A. M., of class of 1845, Wednesday morning; Commencement, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. The graduating class numbers sixteen, Pittsburgh being represented by J. Erastus McKelvey.

ALLEGHENY COLLEGE.

The commencement exercises of Allegheny College, Meadville, will take place next week. The following is the order: The examination of college students begins on Wednesday next and closes on the following Monday. On Sunday morning the 24th, the baccalaureate sermon will be delivered, probably by Dr. Loomis, President of the College. On Monday evening, the Rev. Dr. Nesbit, of Pittsburgh, will deliver an address before the literary societies. On Tuesday will occur—at 8 A. M., first meeting of the Board of Trustees, 10 A. M. prize declamations; 3 P. M., inaugural address by Prof. George F. Comfort; 4 P. M., meeting of the Joint Board of Control; 8 P. M., concert by Leland's Band, of Cleveland, which will furnish all the music for commencement week exercises. On Wednesday, at 9 A. M. anniversary of the Biblical Literary Society; 2 P. M., business meeting of the Alumni; 3 P. M., anniversary of the Philo Franklin Literary Society; 7½ P. M., semi-centennial oration before the alumni, by Bishop Calvin Kingsley; immediately after which will occur the festival and reunion of the alumni. Thursday at 8 A. M., commencement; 8 P. M., President's levee.

MEADVILLE UNITARIAN COLLEGE.

The commencement of the Unitarian Theological College, will take place at Meadville, to-morrow morning. The following is the order of exercises: Hymn, written by George H. Young; Prayer, by Rev. George W. Hosmer, D. D., of Buffalo; Theses, by the members of the graduating class, Messrs. Edward Wilson Hathaway, of Fall River, Mass., George Herbert Hosmer, of Buffalo, N. Y., and George Henry Young, of Hopedale Community, Milford, Mass.; conferring of certificates; Hymn, written by Edward A. Horton; Discourse to the graduating class, by Rev. Robert Collyer, of Chicago, Ill. The school numbers at present twenty-two members.

WESTERN RESERVE COLLEGE.

The Western Reserve (N. Y.) College commencement begins on the 24th instant. The Rev. Dr. S. M. Hopkins, of the Auburn Theological Seminary, will deliver the address before the Literary Societies, and Prof. Clapp, of Iowa College, the address before the alumni.

INDIANA UNIVERSITY.

The twenty-seventh commencement of the Indiana Asbury University begins on the 21st instant. President Bowman will preach the Baccalaureate sermon; Rev. E. House, A. M., deliver the annual lecture; Rev. Dr. T. M. Eddy deliver the address before the Literary Societies; Rev. B. F. Crary, DD., address the Beta Theta Pi Society; Rev. C. N. Sims, A. M., address the Alumni, and the Rev. E. E. Edwards, A. M., and Rev. J. H. Lozier, will read poems before the Literary Societies.

OHIO UNIVERSITY.

The annual commencement of the Ohio University will begin at Athens, Ohio, on the 21st instant. The Baccalaureate sermon will be preached by the Rev. President Howard; the address to the Literary Societies by Rev. W. McKaig, and the address to the Alumni by Hon. Bellamy Storer.

GRANVILLE FEMALE COLLEGE.

The thirty-second commencement of the Granville, Ohio, Female College commences on the 20th instant. The annual address will be delivered by the Rev. H. Calhoun, of Circleville, Ohio.

WESTMINSTER, PA., COLLEGE.

The annual commencement of the Westminster (Pa.) College begins on the 25th instant. The annual address before the Literary Societies will be delivered by the Rev. Henry D. Moore, of Pittsburgh.

GOLD SHIPMENTS SATURDAY.

TOTAL SHIPMENTS FOR THE WEEK.

Imports of Merchandise for the Week.

The shipment of gold from New York on Saturday amounted to $1,889,120, which is much less than was generally expected.

According to the official figures, the shipments comprised the following amounts: Etna, $787,218; Ville de Paris, $530,000; Allemania, $30,...; and Herman, $571,016. The total export of specie from New York and Boston, from the beginning of May to the close of this week, is $44,281,180.

The imports of general merchandise for the past week were very heavy, being over seven millions, the imports of tea, sugar and coffee alone being over four millions. The imports of dry goods are about double those for the corresponding week of last year. The total imports of the week amounted to $9,055,745.

STATE ITEMS.

Ann Hertzog, recently deceased in Philadelphia, by her will bequeathed $71,500 to the charitable institutions of that city, and private bequests to the amount of $47,000.

The annual fair of the Northumberland County Agricultural Association is announced to take place at Nazareth, on the 2d, 3d, 4th and 5th of October.

Major General Hancock visited Gettysburg on Tuesday, accompanied by General Stannard, General Mitchell and others. In the evening they were serenaded, and General Hancock made a brief speech, acknowledging the compliment. A local paper says the party visited the site to get different views and points of the battle-field for the great State painting.

A little girl named Mary Bernstein fell into the flume of a mill in Titusville, on Wednesday last, and was carried by the water under the wheel and shockingly mangled. She was only ten years of age, and a beautiful, interesting child.

The Lewistown *Gazette* says: The Logan Guards have determined to attend the regimental flag presentations at Philadelphia on the 4th, under the first organization, which places Lieut. Colonel Shelbeimer in command as Captain. This company made the *first* morning report in Harrisburg, in 1861, the *first* at Washington, and having the right of the column through Baltimore and at Washington, were the *first* volunteers on the Capitol steps at Washington.

Henry Heath, Esq., has been appointed by Governor Curtin a Notary Public for Meadville.

The Reading *Times* says that a fellow named Hare has been going about that city, claiming that he is a disabled soldier, and begging. The police have discovered that he lost his arm sixteen years ago in a machine shop. He fell in with a stranger from Pittsburgh on Sunday morning at about two o'clock, whom he robbed of his coat, a lever watch, and a small amount of money.

Governor Curtin and State Treasurer Kemble left Harrisburg on Friday for Washington, at the summons of the Treasurer of the United States, to receipt for the three-quarters of a million of dollars to be paid to the State of Pennsylvania by the United States. As an evidence of the correctness of the account submitted to the national authorities by State Treasurer Kemble, it is only fair to make the fact known that the United States Treasurer has deducted but six hundred and seventy dollars from the same. The Government at Washington also claim a further reduction to meet the revenue tax.

Friday morning early, a fire broke out in the extensive cotton mills of Richard Garsed, located on Frankford street, above Harrison, Twenty-third ward, Philadelphia. The flames spread with alarming rapidity, and in a brief space of time the entire structure was in one mass of ruins. The fire next communicated to the cotton mills of Foster & Co., adjoining on the south, which were also destroyed. Mr. Garsed's loss is estimated at $125,000, upon which there is an insurance of $72,800, in a number of Philadelphia and foreign insurance companies. Mr. Foster's loss is estimated at $25,000, upon which he has an insurance of $13,000. By this disastrous conflagration several hundred hands are thrown out of employment.

What a Woman May Wear.

Mrs. Mary E. Walker was arrested in New York for appearing in bloomer costume, whereupon she showed fight, and the arrest was declared irregular. She was told that she could wear her custom without fear or favor. She and her gear are described as follows:

Mrs. Walker is of the medium height, of slender form, her face having a distinctly feminine cast. She is of the class of women known as strong-minded; but her attire is the only outward sign of this fact. Her enthusiasm is great, and she uses her tongue freely. She dresses entirely in black. Her coat is in the form of a tunic, or frock, which fits her closely at the waist and is high at the throat, where she wears a collar like that ordinarily worn by ladies. From the waist the coat is very full, and hangs in folds below the knees. Loose pantaloons, gathered at the ankles, and a small black jockey hat, complete her attire.

AT a social gathering at the parsonage of the M. E. Church, in Mottville, St. Joseph Co., Michigan, on the evening of the 31st ult., a young lady, resident of the place, took from the pastor's table a photograph representing the death-bed of our lamented Lincoln, exclaiming, as she took it up, "Here is a picture I would not have in my house." The pastor mildly replied, that people differed in opinion upon such matters. She then remarked that she "never was so glad in her life as when she heard of his assassination; that she jumped right up and down, and clapped her hands." The pastor then took the picture from her, and laid it in its place on the table. She got it again, and he took it from her the second time and laid it in its place, remarking that she certainly could not very greatly admire it, judging from what she had said. The next morning the picture was found under the table, in small fragments, having been torn in pieces by the hands, which must have been clapped for joy on that sad and mournful occasion.

The progress of the work upon the great tunnel through the Alps is announced to be highly satisfactory. It is to be about seven and a half miles long, and very nearly three and a half miles are cut, the engineers estimating that in ten years from now the tunnel will be finished. The present rate of expenditure is about $1,200,000 a year, and the boring machines, which are now penetrating very hard rock, from both ends of the tunnel, penetrate from 2½ to 3 feet a day on each side. The hard rocks are obstacles which may be surmounted, but the cholera among the workmen is said to seriously retard the labor.

THE STATE STANDARDS.

Arrangements for the Reception of State Flags—Programme of Ceremonies.

The general committee appointed to make arrangements for the reception of the State flags on the Fourth of July, had an adjourned meeting on Friday afternoon.

Gen. Tyndale, of the Committee on transportation, stated that the railroad companies had agreed to transport free the color-bearers and guards. Tickets to the number of 2,225 have been sent to General Negley, the chairman, and the whole matter is in his charge.

Mr. Van Cleve, chairman of the special committee of City Councils, announced that the committee had reported an ordinance appropriating $10,000,000 to defray the expenses of the reception, and that both branches of councils had passed the same, and that it had been signed by the mayor.

Gen. White, of the Committee on Invitation, reported that the committee had seen the President and his Cabinet and Lieut. General Grant, and they had all given the committee good reason to hope that they would honor us with their presence. There is no doubt that Gen. Grant will be present.

The Chair appointed the following committee on guests to be invited: Colonel John R. Brooke, Col. Richard Coulter, Gen. J. L. Selfridge, Colonel W. W. H. Davis, and Colonel Charles Albright.

On motion of Colonel Ellmaker, it was

Resolved, That the resolution in regard to officers and men appearing in uniform was not designed to be compulsory, but intended as a request to appear in uniform as far as practicable.

The chairman of the committee was directed to telegraph to General Negley, directing him to forward immediately to General Jordan, at Harrisburg, the tickets of transportation now in his possession, and that Colonel Harrison and General Jordan be constituted a committee to meet at Harrisburg in regard to the distribution.

A resolution was adopted appointing a committee to proceed to Harrisburg to receive the flags and escort them to Philadelphia on the 3d of July. The chair appointed General Jordan, General G. Pennypacker, General B. Cutler, Colonel E. Franklin, Colonel R. M. Henderson.

Commanding officers of regiments late in the service of the United States are requested to furnish their color bearers and guards who design participating in the ceremonies, with such credentials as will satisfy the committee, to whom they report, that they are authorized to receive the colors, and entitled to quarters and subsistence.

The ceremonies in Independence Square will be as follows:

1. Music—Triumphal March, Mendelssohn, Prof. Birgfeld's Band.
2. Prayer by Rev. Thos. Brainerd, D. D.
3. The Star Spangled Banner, by the Handel and Haydn Musical Society, who have kindly volunteered their services, accompanied by Birgfeld's Band.
4. Presentation of the colors to Governor Curtin, by Major General George G. Meade.
5. Reply of his Excellency.
6. Music—Hallelujah—Handel—Prof. Birgfeld's Band.
7. Thanks to Almighty God for victory and return of peace, by Rev. Wm. R. Gries, late chaplain in the army.
8. Old Hundred, by the Handel and Haydn Society.
9. Coronation March—Meyerbeer. Professor Birgfeld's Band.
10. Benediction, Right Rev. Bishop Simpson.

The ceremony of the day will close with a grand display of fire-works, under the supervision of Professor Jackson, at Fairmount Park. The exhibition will commence at 8½ o'clock P. M.

The sub-Committee of Arrangements, in announcing what bodies and individuals have been invited to be present at the ceremony, seem to have forgotten that the presentation is a State affair, as we do not see any mention of the Mayor and Councils of Pittsburgh, of Harrisburg or other cities in the State being invited—nor the Pittsburgh Subsistence Committee who fed a few soldiers (only half a million) during the war; nor the managers of the Western Pennsylvania Soldiers' Home, and other patriotic bodies here and elsewhere throughout the Commonwealth. Indeed, the Committee seem to have ignored all other parts of the State except that part contiguous to Philadelphia. Philadelphia deserves credit for the liberal action of her councils in appropriating a sum sufficient to pay two-thirds of the expenses of the ceremony, but then her citizens will get back ten-fold the sum from the thousands of strangers who will be present from all parts of the State, so that the appropriation is really only a paying investment. The Committee, therefore, can afford to be liberal with their invitations.

GRAND LODGE OF GOOD TEMPLARS.

Condition of the Order in the State—Allegheny City Chosen as the Next Place of Meeting—Officers for Ensuing Year.

The annual session of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars was held in Philadelphia last week, and was very largely attended, it being remarked by Philadelphians of experience that they had never seen so "large a proportion of the best intellect and high-toned moral character together in one body." The report of the G. W. Secretary showed that from sixty-five lodges in the State last year, they had increased to one hundred and seventy-one good, healthy lodges of Good Templars. Last year there were but four thousand seven hundred and ninety-five members in the State. Now they number nearly twelve thousand; an increase of nearly three-fold in one year. The G. W. C. T. on the state of the order reported that in 1858 the Grand Lodge met in Meadville. There were but seventeen representatives present. Now we meet in the largest city in the State, and in one of the largest halls, and fill it. There are now nearly one thousand members entitled to seats in this Lodge. We should encourage fathers and mothers to join our order more than in times past. Let the family sit in the lodge-room as in the church pews. Open public temperance meetings under the auspices of Good Templars should be more encouraged.

When the subject of the next place of meeting came up, a number of places were mentioned, but all were withdrawn except Allegheny City and Carlisle. Upon a ballot being had, Allegheny City was chosen as the next place of meeting, the vote standing Allegheny City, 86; Carlisle, 72.

The following officers were installed for the ensuing year, by P. R. W. C. T. Chase:

Rev. J. S. McMurray, G. W. C. T.; B. M. Greene, G. W. C.; Lizzie M. Street, G. W. V. T.; L. Ellen Wright, G. W. S.; Richard Craven, G. W. T.; Rev. S. H. C. Smith, G. W. Chap.; M. Luther Witherall, G. W. M.; Sydney P. Stebbins, G. W. D. M.; Jane C. King, G. W. I. G.; John Cornman, G. W. O. G.

AUSTRIA, UNITED STATES AND MEXICO.

Our Warning and Austria's Answer.

Minister Motley, on the 6th of May, addressed a letter to the Austrian Government, in which he remarks that in the opinion of the United States, the time seems to have arrived when the position of the United States Government in relation to Mexico should frankly and distinctly be made known to the Imperial Government and to all others whom it may directly concern. He is accordingly instructed to state that the United States sincerely desire that Austria may find it just and expedient to come upon the ground of non-intervention in Mexico which is maintained in the United States, and to which they have invited France. They could not but regard as a matter of deep concern the dispatch of any troops from Austria to Mexico, while the subject he was then directed to present to the Austrian Government remained under consideration.

"Forcible and armed interference by the European powers with the established institutions on the Western continent was long ago proclaimed, on the highest official authority, as of necessity, to be considered a manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward the United States." He repeats the earnest hope that it may not be found inexpedient to postpone the departure of fresh troops from Austria to Mexico until such answer to his communication as may be made, shall have been candidly and deliberately considered by the United States Government.

Count Mensdorff, on May 30th, says, in the conclusion of his reply:

"The undersigned, although not sharing all the points of view developed in Mr. Motley's note, is nevertheless in a position to announce to him that in consequence of the above-mentioned considerations, the necessary measures have been taken in order to suspend the departure of the newly enlisted volunteers for Mexico.

"In the firm conviction that the Cabinet of Washington will see in this proceeding of the Imperial Government a further motive to persevere in its neutral attitude towards Mexico, as well as a new proof of the sincere desire of the Imperial Government to keep off all that could act unfavorably on the relations of both countries, the undersigned avails himself.

[Signed,] MENSDORFF."

The Paris Exposition—One of the Novelties.

Gigantic as are the various works connected with the coming exhibition, they are all proceeding with great rapidity. Many journals, for want of more authentic information, have started rumors that the necessary arrangements for the opening in April, 1867, cannot be completed. If they could only see the progress these are making, they would doubtless make their editorial comments in a different tone. The enormous building is well advanced and the metallic roof of a portion of it is already in place. The general outline can be easily made out, and the surrounding gardens are partly designated. The laborers work from dawn to twilight, Sundays included, and their number equals that of a small army. Each day there is promised some new addition to the splendors of this *expose* of the universe. Among other attractions will be an enormous stable, in the Russian style, to accommodate 500 horses. It will be surrounded with Muscovite and Caucasian houses, one of which will be occupied by a restaurant managed by an officer from St. Petersburg. Here one can feast *à la russe* in such barbaric splendor as his purse will command. He can flirt with Charlotte; hob-a-nob with Don Cossacks, and treat them to caviare and candles; ogle the dark-eyed beauties of the Caucasus, and in a post-prandial snooze dream of Lord Byron and Mazeppa. Christianity will also be represented at this exhibition, paradoxical as it may appear, probably, though not so much from its intrinsic merits, as because M. de Chateaubriand took so much pains to write it up. A space of 200 square metres has been granted to the protestant missionaries, in which will be shown various articles and productions sent home by those devoted laborers from the islands of the ocean, from the interior of Asia, from the trackless wilds of Africa and wherever else their Christian zeal has led them to save the souls of men.

WHAT THE INVASION OF CANADA DEMONSTRATED.—The Philadelphia *Press* says that one thing the idiotic Fenian movement has taught us is that fifty thousand American soldiers, well officered, with arms, ammunition, and adequate means of subsistence, may easily capture Canada by crossing the frontier at half a dozen different points.

POLITICAL.

The following ticket has been nominated by the Union party of Snyder county, viz: Congress, George F. Miller; Assembly, John H. Wright; Sheriff, Daniel Bolendar; Commissioner, Abraham Eyer; Auditors, Daniel Gemberling, John J. Kelly.

Hon. William Loughridge was on Thursday nominated by the Republicans of the Fourth Congressional District of Iowa, the district now represented by Hon. J. B. Grinnell.

The Congressional conferees from Blair county, in the Seventeenth Congressional District, are Anthony Morrow, E. Hammond and A. M. Lloyd. A resolution instructing them to support D. J. Morrell, Esq., of Cambria county, for Congress, was voted down by a vote of eight to thirty-eight, and the conferees were uninstructed. A Hollidaysburg correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press* says the Republicans of Blair county are in favor of Mr. Morrell for Congress, and that two of the above conferees will support him.

We publish the following statements relative to the resolution recommending Governor Curtin for the United States Senate, purporting to have been passed by the Butler County Republican Convention. The following are copies of statements that have been shown us:

"BUTLER, June 13, 1866.

"Having just seen the *American Citizen*, a paper published in the borough of Butler, and containing what purports to be the proceedings of the Republican County Convention, held in Butler, on Monday last, I hereby certify that no resolution in favor of A. G. Curtin, as our next United States Senator, or anything on that subject, was passed by said Convention. I was in the Convention during the whole time of its session, as the delegate from Butler township, and was paying attention to all its proceedings.

ABADIAH CRATTY."

"I fully concur in the above statement of Mr. Cratty. No resolution in favor of Gov. Curtin for United States Senator was offered, read or adopted by said Convention.

"JOHN E. MUIRK, Delegate from Saxonburg."

The Democracy of Clarion county have nominated the following ticket: John Keating and Hugh McGuire for Associate Judges; C. Reichart, Prothonotary; T. B. Barber, Register and Recorder; John T. Hindman, District Attorney; E. W. Haines, Commissioner; Wm. C. Dunkle, Auditor; Thomas Elliot, Coroner. Col. J. B. Knox, W. W. Barr and Hon. John McCall were appointed Congressional Conferees, and instructed first for Wm. L. Corbett, Esq., and second for Gen. A. B. McCalmont, as the choice of the county for Congress.

CITY MATTERS.

BURGLARY IN LAWRENCEVILLE.—A negro named Warren Powell entered a liquor store in Lawrenceville on Friday night, and robbed it of several bottles of liquor. An information was lodged against him for burglary before Justice Covert, of that borough, and he was arrested on Saturday. He was held to bail for his appearance at Court to answer the charge, in default of which, he was committed to jail.

CRESCENT STEEL WORKS.—In another column will be found the card of the Crescent Steel Works, of Messrs. Miller, Barr & Parkin. The gentlemen whose names compose the firm are well known in this community as men of enterprise, energy and strict business integrity, and rank among our most influential citizens. They manufacture the best quality of cast steel, which is warranted equal to any of foreign or domestic make.

LEATHER BELTING.—Messrs. Cuessman & Clark, No. 11 Ohio street, Allegheny, have commenced the manufacture of every description of leather belting, which they warrant. They pay special attention to making belts for rolling mills and heavy works, where the best kind of belting is necessary. All orders entrusted to the firm will meet with prompt attention, and the work will be satisfactorily performed.

PATENTS ISSUED.—Among the Patents issued from the United States Patent Office for the week ending June 12th were the following:

Edward Kaylor, of Pittsburgh, Pa., for improvement in bolt heading machine.

John Letzkus, of Pittsburgh, Pa., for improvement in squeezers.

Isaac Gregg and Charles Green, of Philadelphia, Pa., assignor to Isaac Gregg, of the same place, for improved brick machine.

PUBLIC DISPENSARY IN ALLEGHENY.—The Allopathic physicians of our sister city have taken the initiatory steps for the establishment of a public dispensary. The druggists of the city have contributed one hundred dollars worth of medicines, and the Committee on City Property have tendered to the new institution the use of a room in the third story of the new City Building. The citizens will be called upon during the present week for subscriptions to this laudable enterprise.

MAN FOUND DROWNED.—The body of a man was found floating in the Ohio river, opposite Luker & Co.'s saw-mill, in Rochester, on Wednesday last. He was apparently about twenty-five years of age, was five feet ten inches in height, and had black hair. He wore light pants, black coat, white and black shirt, heavy boots and a leather belt, with a "U. S." buckle. A pack of cards was found on his person, but no papers were found. An inquest was held and he was buried in the cemetery in Rochester. Coroner McCoy will give all information in regard to the body.

BURGLARIES IN GREENFIELD.—On Friday night the store of Sibbitt, Moore & Co., in Greenfield, was entered by some burglar or burglars, and robbed of about thirty dollars in money, and a quantity of boots and shoes. The thieves effected an entrance by unlocking the door. On the same night the store of L. E. Smith & Son, in the same place, was also entered and robbed of twelve dollars in money and a lot of hats. An entrance was effected into this store by prying open the shutters and cutting out the sash. Some of the hats were found on the wharf on Saturday morning. No clue to the burglars has, as yet, been discovered.

LARGE STRAWBERRIES.—Col. W. A. Herron is not only an attentive and efficient county officer, but he is also an experienced and successful horticulturist. We were shown on Saturday a collection of large and luscious strawberries grown by him on his place in Pitt township, some of which measured six and three-quarter inches in circumference, and their flavor was most agreeable. Such berries would take the premium at any horticultural exhibition. Colonel Herron has a fine crop of strawberries this season. He has three acres of grape vines and an orchard of four acres in peaches upon his premises, which adjoin the property of his father, the late John Herron, Esq., now advertised to be sold at public sale on Monday next. Judging from the size of the fruit, excellence of its flavor and abundance, the soil in that neighborhood is of the richest description.

The Vigilant Fire Company of Philadelphia to Arrive To-day.

The Vigilant Fire Company of Philadelpeia will arrive in this city at noon to-day, on their way to Chicago. A committee, consisting of Alderman Butler, Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department, Mr. William J. White, President of the Eagle, Mr. George Wilson, and several representatives of the press, will meet them at Greensburg. Upon their arrival at the depot, the Vigilant will be received by the Eagle Fire Company and escorted to their hall, on Fourth street where a collation will be prepared. Wm. C. Moreland, Esq., will deliver the reception speech, after which the visitors will be escorted to the Scott House, where rooms have been secured for them. In the evening the Vigilant will visit the theatre, and upon the conclusion of the performance adjourn to City Hall and partake of a banquet prepared by the members of the Eagle. On Tuesday morning, the Eagle will escort their guests through the various manufacturing establishments in the city and vicinity, and in the afternoon the Vigilant will leave for Chicago, via the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad.

Arrest of a Probable Thief.

Last night about eleven o'clock, officer David Campbell, noticed a young man on Smithfield street carrying a large bundle. The officer approached him and interrogated him as to his business, and the answers not proving satisfactory, arrested him and conveyed him to the Mayor's office. The bundle was then opened and found to contain a black cloth coat, light cassimere pants, a lady's black silk sack, three white shirts, handkerchiefs, socks, and a variety of other articles. When the young man was placed in the watch-house he became more communicative. He stated that his name was Daniel Mayhew, and resided on Arthurs street, in the Seventh ward; that he had been visiting Birmingham, and while on his way home discovered the bundle on the bank of the river. The articles found in his possession were undoubtedly stolen, and the owner may recover them by calling at the Mayor's office. Mayhew will have a hearing this morning.

The Late Match Between the Lincoln and Union Base Ball Clubs.

To the Editor of the Commercial:

Allow me, Sir, to correct a mistake in the COMMERCIAL of Saturday. The Base Ball Club which played the Lincoln was not the "Rochester" but the Union Club, of New Brighton. The score as appended, was correct, yet it seems as if something might be said in extenuation of the defeated Club, but which would remain unnoticed, if it were not on a point which should interest lovers of base ball, and all who desire that this noble national game should not be degraded by actions which would bring even a cockpit into disrepute. There are "rules and regulations" by which to play, but the most important points in these are frequently ignored. The opinion, freely expressed, too, of all base ball players present, was, that the "impartial decisions" for which the Lincoln Club cheered so heartily existed but in name.

It is a thing to be regretted, that umpires (I am speaking generally) do not adhere to the "Rules of the National Association." The umpire, manifestly, should be the closest observer of every play that is made. In this game, a ball decided foul, was caught by the Union catcher on the first bound and "judgment" being called for, the umpire modestly said that he was *not looking*. There is no excuse for this, and besides, base ball usages demand that if the umpire *does not* (or *will not*) see, decisions should be made in accordance with correct explanations. I am well aware that the duties of the umpire are at times very difficult to perform satisfactorily, and the "giftie can gie us no power" to form like judgments. Yet it is sometimes singular that "judgments" are in favor of one side only, as the open avowal of the sentiments of the crowd will bear faithful witness was the case last Friday, in favor of the Lincoln Club. What is greatly to be desired is, that the rules should be enforced; but it is evident that the rules of the game are a "dead letter" when ball after ball is delivered and not one "*for the striker*," as the "rules" require. Thirty one balls ("wides" and "grounders") by actual count, were delivered to one batsman by the Lincoln pitcher, without a single ball being called to the bat. Let no public opinion sanction the setting aside, in any case, of the "rules and regulations of the National Association"—then the nobleness of the game will be preserved, and victory and superiority go hand in hand.

I am, Sir, very truly yours,

C. JACOBS, Captain of the Union Nine.

SHOCKING OCCURRENCE.

An Old Citizen Falls from a Third Story Window and is Killed—The Body Mangled by Rats.

On Saturday morning, at an early hour, the body of Mr. John M. Cornwell, electroplater and manufacturer of saddlery hardware, was discovered in the yard attached to his manufactory, No. 7 St. Clair street. The body was carried into the building and Coroner Clawson notified, who proceeded to hold an inquest. From the testimony adduced it appeared a number of men were engaged during Friday night in painting the establishment, and about ten o'clock, Mr. Cornwell, who was present directing their operations, laid down on a bench in the third story, in front of an open window. Nothing further was known of him until his body was found Saturday morning. From the nature of the injuries it was evident that the deceased fell from the third story window, and that death ensued instantaneously. The body presented a shocking appearance, the face, head, arms and hands being terribly disfigured by rats. The clothing of deceased was covered with blood, and it was also ascertained that his skull had been fractured, and one arm, wrist and leg broken. The jury rendered a verdict of accidental death.

The deceased resided on Sheffield street, Manchester, and leaves a wife and family. He had been engaged in business in this city for the past eighteen years, and had accumulated considerable property. His funeral will take place from his late residence this afternoon at two o'clock.

Another Concert by Mr. Morgan.

Yesterday Mr. G. W. Morgan, the distinguished organist attended the First Presbyterian church, and by request of Mr. Charles Mellor, the organist of the church, performed the concluding Voluntary. The composition was one of the inspirations of the great Handel, which he rendered in the most masterly manner, to the great delight of the congregation, many of whom remained until the last note had died away.

Our readers will be pleased to learn that Mr. Morgan has been prevailed upon to give another concert on the great organ at the Cathedral, which is announced for next Thursday evening. A choice programme of classical and popular music will be performed, including Mr. Morgan's famous fantasie on "By the sad sea waves," which when performed by him on the great organ in Boston, roused the audience to a degree of enthusiasm never before witnessed in Music Hall. In order to accomodate a number of persons who have expressed a desire to witness Mr. Morgan's wonderful pedal playing, arrangements have been made for reserved seats in the organ loft. As the number of these seats is limited to twenty, an early application will be necessary to secure them. The sale of tickets will commence to-morrow, at the principal music stores. We anticipate a crowded house.

Attempted Fraud.

J. W. Winters, of Beaver county, was arrested on Saturday, and taken before Alderman Strain, to answer a charge preferred by Mr. W. Shinn, Superintendent of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, of attempting to obtain the sum of $3,200 by fraud and false representation. Some months ago, Winters shipped two boxes from Rochester to Homewood station, but they failed to reach their destination. He instituted suit against the railroad company for the recovery of the boxes, which he alleged contained goods to the amount of $3,200. On Friday the boxes were found, and upon being opened it was discovered that they contained a carpet mat and some household goods, valued at about $100. Winters was committed to jail in default of $4,000 bail, for a further hearing on Tuesday.

Criminal Court.

Court assembled at the usual hour on Saturday morning, Judge Sterrett and Brown on the bench, when the following cases were disposed of:

George Hofferman, proprietor of a tavern in Mifflin township, was brought up for sentence. He was tried on three indictments during the week—selling liquor to minors, selling liquor without license, and selling liquor on Sunday. On the first charge he was found not guilty, on the ground that the minors to whom the liquor was alleged to have been sold, looked like men. On the second charge Hofferman plead guilty, and on the third charge he was convicted. The Court sentenced him on the first case to pay the costs, according to the direction of the jury. For selling without license he was sentenced to pay a fine of $75 and costs. For selling on Sunday he was sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and costs, and undergo an imprisonment of twenty days in the county jail.

James Scahill, convicted of assault and battery was sentenced to pay a fine of fifty dollars and costs.

Morris Carlisle made an application for release under the insolvent law. He was sentenced to jail about three months ago, for assault and battery, and has been retained in custody in default of the payment of a fine and costs. The court granted the application and the prisoner was released.

The jurors summoned for the first three weeks of the June term of this Court, were discharged and paid off. A new jury will be empanneled to-day.

Court adjourned until this morning.

Police Items.

BEFORE ALDERMAN STRAIN.—William Burns made an information before this magistrate on Saturday, charging George Goldback, and another Teuton, with aggravated assault and battery. The accused entered the tavern of Burns, in Birmingham, and it is alleged, procured some beer and refused to pay for it. The proprietor demanded pay, when, he alleges, they assaulted him, knocked him down, cut his cheek and lip, loosened his teeth, and otherwise abused him. The accused were arrested and required to enter bail for a hearing. Margaret Ruppert charged Alfred Reed with surety of the peace for threatening to do her bodily injury. A warrant for his arrest was issued. Mary J. Lee was charged with having threatened to deprive Margaret Lee of her life. The parties are colored. The charge was not fully sustained, and the case was dismissed, the defendant paying the costs. Margaret A. Youngblood made oath charging Edward Duncan with having threatened violence towards her. They both reside on Pennsylvania avenue. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

BEFORE ALDERMAN DONALDSON.—Ellen Aiken was before this magistrate on Saturday, on a charge of surety of the peace, on oath of Margaret Ford. The accused was discharged upon paying the costs and entering bail to keep the peace.

Strawberries.

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

The lamentations of my horticultural friends over the alleged failure of this delightful fruit, tempt me to say that I have picked from my garden this season, so far, at the rate of 150 quarts of strawberries per acre! If this is a failure, pray what would constitute a success? Strawberries are held here at an extortionate price. I know of nothing which it would pay better to cultivate; and if gentlemen who have fine large beds would, instead of permitting the surplus over and above the quantity used in the family to rot on the vines, send them to market, they would confer a real blessing on the community, as well as add considerably to their own revenue.

This berry requires so little labor, that it is a matter of surprise that so few of our gardeners devote any attention to it. My vines were set out in May, the ground, a sod, being well spaded, and the spaces between the rows filled with tan-bark—freshly cut grass will do as well, or better. The only labor now consists in cutting off the runners and gathering the fruit, the weeds being few. An acre of ground, such a season as the present, may be counted on as good for 2,000 quarts of *Wilson's Albany*—which, at ten cents, will pay as much for cultivation and marketing as any western production I know of, except oil. Those who are so fortunate as to possess garden spots should devote a large portion of them to the strawberry, raspberry, and blackberry. Nothing is more wholesome or palatable. Then the fruit, freshly gathered, is so much more grateful to the palate than when obtained in market. O. P. Q.

THE SIXTY-FIRST REGIMENT.—A meeting of the 61st Pennsylvania Regiment was held on Saturday evening, in La Pierre Saloon, Market street, for the purpose of making arrangements for the flag presentation at Philadelphia on the Fourth of July. Dr. R. M. Tindle was chosen President; Major Alexander Hay, Vice President; Capt. Louis Hager, Secretary, and John McVay, Treasurer. After the adoption of a resolution that the regiment should be properly represented on the occasion, the meeting adjourned until Wednesday evening next, at which time all members of the regiment, and particularly the color guard, are requested to be present.

COUGHS.—The administration of medicinal preparations in the form of a lozenge is of all modes the most eligible and convenient, more especially as regards a Cough Remedy. "Brown's Bronchial Troches," or Cough Lozenges, allay irritation which induces coughing, giving instant relief in Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Influenza, and consumptive and Asthmatic complaints. MW&F-D&W

DIED:

CORNWELL—June 15, JOHN M. CORNWELL, aged forty-three years.

Funeral THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, from his late residence, Sheffield street, Manchester. Carriages will leave W. H. Devore's office, 101 Grant street, at 1 o'clock.

JOHNSTON—On Sunday, the 17th inst., at noon, HELEN LOUISE, infant daughter of S. R. and Alice B. Johnston.

Funeral on MONDAY MORNING, at 11 o'clock, from No. 85 Anderson street, Allegheny.

WANTED—To Rent—A Dwelling containing eight or ten rooms, situated in a central part of the city. Possession taken any time before September 1st. Apply at No. 84 Wood street, or address Lock Box 93. je18-5t

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CLUB AGENTS are wanted in every town in the Union, who receive SIX DOLLARS worth of gratuities for only ten subscribers and $10. The RURAL AMERICAN is an old paper, is now in its tenth volume and has a larger cash capital than any other similar publication in this country. My editorial office is at Clinton, Oneida Co., N. Y., where all letters should be addressed.

je18-1t T. B. MINER.

The Daily Commercial

MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1866.

REPUBLICAN UNION NOMINEE FOR GOVERNOR,
JOHN W. GEARY.

UNION COUNTY NOMINATIONS.

FOR SHERIFF:
SAMUEL B. CLULEY.

FOR CLERK OF QUARTER SESSIONS:
JOHN G. BROWN.

FOR CLERK OF ORPHANS' COURT:
ALEX. HILANDS.

FOR RECORDER:
HENRY SNIVELY.

FOR REGISTRAR:
JOSEPH H. GRAY.

FOR COMMISSIONER:
GEORGE HAMILTON.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR
JOHN F. DRAVO.

FOR ASSEMBLY:
SAMUEL CHADWICK,
R. A. COLVILLE,
GEORGE Y. M'KEE,
GEORGE WILSON,
WILLIAM PETERS,
JOHN P. GLASS.

REMARKABLE ADVANCE IN THE PRICE OF GOLD.

Gold advanced nearly eleven per cent. in Wall street on Saturday. The certainty of a European war, and continued failures in England, produced a sudden and generally unexpected upward turn. The heavy drain for shipment had already created considerable uneasiness in the best informed moneied circles, and it is not at all likely that the apprehension as to the future movement will be allayed by the most recent arrival. It is well known that the drain had trenched very much on the available gold supply in the country, and the news, therefore, fell upon an extremely sensitive condition of affairs so far as gold was concerned. The effect of the news on the price of Government stocks, in Wall street, was not material, the money market being easy, and confidence unshaken. A sympathetic movement in trade prices, for certain articles, will most likely follow, but there appears to be no serious disturbance in the general financial condition. With gold at the present pitch, importations are not likely to be brisk, and foreign orders will be sent forward with caution.

RATIFICATION OF THE AMENDMENT.

The proposition made by Governor CURTIN for simultaneous action by the States, on the constitutional amendment just passed by Congress, is very generally approved, except by Democrats, as timely and judicious. The New York *Commercial* hopes Governor CURTIN's circular will be sent to all the States alike, South as well as North. The suggestion is a good one; indeed, there are many reasons why no distinction should be made. The action of Congress contemplates equality, and we should be sorry to see anything done in the spirit of seeming distrust. There are certain Southern States that, no doubt, will ratify the amendment. There may be some Northern States that will reject it. The action of each and every State is expected and desired, and a movement so patriotic and praiseworthy as that which Governor CURTIN has commenced, we think should make no distinction but embrace all the States. Such is the spirit of the amendment itself.

THE HARMONY SOCIETY AT ECONOMY.

The deeply interesting history of this remarkable Society, commenced in the COMMERCIAL a few days since, will be continued in our paper to-morrow and in future numbers. The writer has for some time enjoyed the highest privilege among this peculiar people. Possessing their entire confidence, he has employed his opportunities to obtain a thorough knowledge of their history—material, religious and personal. His articles have been prepared with scrupulous regard for the facts, and while they will impart far more information than has ever before been made known, they will doubtless correct many erroneous impressions.

MEXICO—SANTA ANNA—MAXIMILIAN.

Late advices from Mexico inform us that great excitement exists among all classes at the unexpected visit of SANTA ANNA to the United States. The Imperialists are uneasy and the Liberals overjoyed. The news of his departure from St. Thomas had an unpleasant effect upon MAXIMILIAN and his advisers. It is stated that the Emperor had a vessel cruising for the purpose of intercepting the Georgia and capturing SANTA ANNA and his party, but was not quick enough. It is generally believed in Mexico, that Secretary SEWARD, during his visit to St. Thomas, gave SANTA ANNA assurances that he would receive at least indirect aid from the United States if he would attempt to restore the Republic of Mexico, and that the Republican cause in Mexico was going to ruin for want of a man of distinction and ability to take the lead of affairs. Secretary SEWARD, it is affirmed, told the General that he was the only man capable of harmonizing the various liberal elements and insuring success. The publication of the correspondence between the United States and France, and the notes of Mr. SEWARD to the American Minister at the Court of Vienna, have also had much effect on both parties in Mexico. The Liberalists have become bold and defiant, and the Imperialists alarmed, and they are organizing, or attempting to organize, a great national party. It remains to be seen whether his Majesty can organize such a party, or raise out of the native population of Mexico an army powerful enough to sustain his Empire. It is thought that possibly the natives will cry out now, "Long live the Empire," and receive his arms and ammunition. But let these troops get fired with the old cry of "God and Liberty," and their old fierce hatred of the "foreigner" will come back, and they will turn on him in such style as only Mexico can adopt. There are now secret Liberal organizations all through Mexico, and arms and munitions of war concealed in various parts. When the French soldiers and flag disappear from Mexico, naught will be left behind that can give a gleam of hope for the maintenance of MAXIMILIAN's crown for a single month.

In a financial way the government is on the verge of bankruptcy. There is not money enough in the treasury to supply the most urgent wants of the Emperor, and the monthly expenditures exceed by millions the monthly receipts. The people are groaning under the duties levied, and if they are raised much more it will be utterly impossible to pay them.

The people plainly see that the United States have assumed a position involving the defense of the Liberals. To counteract this feeling the Imperialists are using men and money in spreading the report, far and near, that it is on the part of the United States the policy of self aggrandizement, which will eventually destroy Mexico and annex it piece by piece to this country. It is doubtful if any effect can be produced on the Mexican people by such arguments. The only hope of MAXIMILIAN is, that France will not withdraw her soldiers, and will continue to furnish the larger sums of money needed to carry on the government. If France were to-day to withdraw these, the Empire would be buried to-morrow.

ENGLISH POLITICO-RELIGIOUS MISSION AT HONOLULU.

We have several times referred to the operations of Bishop STALEY, of the English Episcopal Church and his Reformed Catholic Church in the Sandwich Islands. We make no animadversions upon it as a Christian effort. We do not call in question the right or propriety of any endeavors to advance the moral, social and religious condition of the Hawaiians. But Bishop STALEY's way of doing it we hesitate not to pronounce discourteous and palpably unjust to the American missionaries who had been assiduously and successfully engaged in that noble work for forty years before the English movement was begun. American ministers of religion had reduced the barbarous language to writing, had taught a larger proportion of the people to read than are blessed with that accomplishment in some of the counties on the British Isles, had established schools and academies, had organized churches, some of which are among the largest in the world. And they had assisted with their republican knowledge in organizing constitutional government in place of the ancient savage absolutism, and they had elevated the mass of the natives from the lowest debasement of savage life to a comparative state of civilization. Laws, courts, manners, business, morals and religion had, under their christian and American influence, taken the place of the old despotism, slaughter, and idolatry.

It was not necessary for the furtherance of any good end to depreciate their work, as Bishop STALEY did in this country, nor to misrepresent the condition of the people of their charge, nor to malign and slander them. The *Pacific Advertiser*, published at the Islands, charges the Bishop with uttering what was untrue. And every tolerably well informed American knows that his statements were contradictory to the general testimony of visitors and residents at the Islands, who have had better opportunities of knowing than his brief stay there has afforded him.

But it is not as a missionary of religion that Bishop STALEY and his deeds and words demand consideration at the hands of the secular press. A great number and variety of circumstances conspire to show that the newly awakened British interest in these Islands is traceable to a political and commercial rather than a religious origin.

To say nothing of the impatience among British residents under the American ideas of civilization embodied at the Islands, nor of the silly pronunciamento of LORD PAULET, commander of a sloop-of-war, declaring the Islands a port of the British empire in 1843, we have later evidence of the political bearing of the religious movement. It began when our internal troubles were embarrassing our country. Four years ago, the London Quarterly, a church and government paper, referred with satisfaction to the new mission which seeks to reproduce a genuine branch of our church in the Islands, and immediately adds:

"Other changes have given us a fresh interest in those distant Islands. The wise courage of Sir E. Lytton Bulwer in founding the colony of British Columbia (already advanced with great strides to wealth and power), gives a new value to those natural halting places in the vast Pacific ocean."

At a later date the Bishop of Oxford, in an address delivered at Leeds, England, speaks of the importance of planting the English church in the Islands, chiefly on account of their geographical position. With an eye not single to the religious interest, the Bishop says:

"And remember, there are peculiar reasons in the position of these very islands why we should make these efforts on their behalf. There are, *first of all, political and national reasons*. It is of the utmost moment to us that that friendliness which now exists in this people to us should be continued. They lie upon the very direct line of our ships from our new and growing colony of British Columbia especially, and there is no calculating the injury which might be done to English commerce if these islands were alienated from us, and if in any future disturbed state of the world were possessed by enemies of this country; so that it is your interest, even as regards the things of this world, to found a branch of your church there, and, by that which is the most abiding and binding tie, to attach them in affection to yourselves."

This "deliverance" of the Bishop, like that of the *Review* has rather a strong savor of mammon and nationality, for a plea in behalf of Christian missions. And Bishop STALEY has pursued the same strain in the speeches he has during the last year delivered among the Episcopal churches of this country. The American influence and ideas in the Island, the results of forty-six years of friendly and judicious effort, stand in the way of the British scheme for getting the ascendency in these convenient "halting places" for British commerce. American ideas and influence have the native population, whom they have elevated, on their side. The King and the English residents naturally take the opposite position. The English argument would suit our relations with the Island much better. Our trade and possessions on the Pacific are more important, our commerce with China and Japan will advance with giant strides on the completion of the Pacific Railroad, and even now we have regular and frequent packets between San Francisco and Hawaii. We cannot, therefore, be indifferent to the aggressive commercial and political policy of England in that quarter. And we think that the lawn that is borrowed to sanctify and veil that policy will hardly reconcile us to it.

That the Bishop of Oxford and the English *Review* should plead in this style for their scheme, in their own country, is not surprising. But that an English Bishop should come to our country and solicit funds for the furtherance of a project intended, as the very plea demonstrates, to uproot American influence and to encroach on American privileges in those gems of the Pacific, is a type of effrontery which it would be hard to parallel with another. And we cannot but express our gratification, as Americans, that it was so regarded to a considerable extent in the Episcopal Church, to which the ungracious and unhandsome appeal was made.

If we needed any apology for this handling of Bishop STALEY and the British method of getting a good halting place, on the way to their possessions north of Oregon, we could find it in the fact that the like exception which we take to the English mission, as a politico-religious policy, has been taken by the English to the Roman Catholic mission at the Islands, which, says the *Quarterly Review*, has proved a failure because "it is identified, in the popular mind, with French arms and French designs," and it might have been added, with French brandy, for all three were developed in connection with the introduction, some years since, of the French Catholic priests, under the auspices of a French Admiral. And the failure of the Roman Catholics affords occasion to the English for saying apologetically, "so that, in founding the See of Honolulu, we cannot be charged with intruding one bishop into the field of another." A pity it is, that they had not been as tender and considerate of their reputation for country, in reference to the American ministers who had cultivated the field for nearly half a century, and matured a civilization and raised a race of Christian people.

MAKING CONFESSION.

Mr. DAWES, of Massachusetts, took occasion to make a confession on the floor of the House of Representatives, on Thursday last. He is one of the fairest men of the body to which he belongs. Sensible of having pursued the wrong course ever since the session begun, on the question of admitting loyal men from Southern States, he confessed the fault, and set an example that might be extensively followed, with advantage both to the members and the country.

The circumstances under which Mr. DAWES made his confession gave peculiar point to it, and afforded a vivid illustration of the working of the rule by which the majority in Congress have been governed. A rule is to be judged only by the result of its operation. Under this rule, HARRIS, a red-mouthed, defiant rebel, from Maryland, had been admitted to his seat; and there he stood, defending the right to secede, applauding the act of secession, and extolling BOOTH and SURRATT as martyrs. There he stood, a member of the House, admitted under the rule which kept out such men as MAYNARD, STOKES and other men, all of them as loyal and true as any that enforced the rule. So long as the House acted practically on the State suicide idea this inconsistency was inevitable. But when that idea was distinctly repudiated by the adoption of the amendment, and it was settled that the States were in the Union, because they were never out, the only point to be decided was, what kind of men shall enter Congress? The amendment to the Constitution, adopted as the substitute for the scheme of Mr. STEVENS based on the State suicide idea, determines this point,—and Mr. DAWES's confession is, that he has been, from the first, in favor of admitting loyal members separately, on their qualifications, and opposed to keeping them out all in a batch, because simply there were some—probably a good many—disloyal people in the South. In his estimation it was a blunder to keep loyal men out, and probably the honorable gentleman from Massachusetts, while HARRIS was poisoning the very atmosphere of the House with his treason, felt keenly how, with such a man in the House and such men as MAYNARD, STOKES and others vainly endeavoring to get in, the rule to which Congress had for half a year submitted, was impeached and utterly condemned. The confession of Mr. DAWES was in these words:

He would say that when a loyal and true man came from any loyal and true district he would not only vote to admit him to a seat on the floor, but would welcome him with open arms. There never had been a time that he would not do so. He had always been anxious for an opportunity of making these selections and distinctions between the loyal representatives of loyal districts in these Southern States and those who came with blood red hands and as the representatives of traitors; and it had been his desire that the credentials of every member and every man claiming to be represented should be presented to a proper committee—he cared not what committee it was, but a committee charged with the duty of making known to the House, on investigation, whether he came from a loyal constituency as a loyal representative—the choice of a loyal people.

Although he said he had been brought to his feet to reconcile his action with his sentiment, he did not succeed, simply because that was an impossibility, he having all the session pursued one course while his own judgment, as he declared, taught him quite another should have been chosen. It is not to be doubted that the confession of Mr. DAWES would have been that of nine-tenths of those who have acted with him had they spoken as frankly as he spoke.

No one doubts that had the course which Mr. DAWES declares he has all the while been in favor of, been pursued, the rupture between the President and Congress, and all the bitter consequences, would have been prevented.

THE FENIAN PRISONERS.

We are glad to hear that the Government at Washington made a prompt effort, and is still using its influence, in behalf of the Fenian prisoners in Canada, and that there is a good prospect of success. Considerable correspondence has passed between Mr. SEWARD, the Governor General and the British Minister, the good effects of which are seen in the postponement of all proceedings in Canada looking to the trial and punishment of the prisoners. Although not much of a definite character is known, it is given out that the friends of the Fenian prisoners have every reason for being not alarmed for their fate. "President" ROBERTS is now in Washington on this business, and he has found that while the Government was prompt to observe its neutrality obligations, it has been no less prompt and will be no less vigilant to secure humane treatment for the victims of the unfortunate enterprise.

PLATFORM MAKING.

The Union men of the Fourth Congressional District of Indiana, met in Convention, at Lawrenceburg, on Thursday last. Hon. JOHN H. FARQUHAR, the present representative, having declined a re-nomination, Col. IRA G. GROVER, late of the Seventh Indiana Volunteers, was unanimously nominated for Congress. The district is a close one, Mr. FARQUHAR having carried it by but sixty-six. Under such a state of things the Union men found no margin on which to quarrel among themselves. They therefore dismissed all personal feeling and came together anxious only to get as squarely on the platform of true ideas and sound principles as possible. They succeeded admirably, the following being the foundation timbers:

"*Resolved*, 1. That this canvass should be conducted by the Union party, not against Congress or the President, but against the Copperheads, who are the common enemies of both, and who are the inveterate foes of the Union and the last friends of the rebellion.

"2. That the Union of these States has not been dissolved, and can not be, except by a successful revolution. And that we are in favor of the immediate admission to seats in Congress of the loyal Representatives from the States of Tennessee and Arkansas, duly elected according to law, and such other loyal Representatives from the States lately in rebellion, as are qualified, according to legal and constitutional tests."

It is to be observed that, as a general thing, a sensible improvement has taken place in platform making. It necessarily follows the improvement in ideas, and in temper generally, and the wise action of Congress.

THE NEW SENATOR FROM NEW HAMPSHIRE.—Professor PATTERSON, selected by the Republican caucus to succeed Senator CLARK, from New Hampshire, is a member of the present House. He is a man of fair abilities, though but little distinguished. He was nominated over Senator CLARK, who has occupied a seat in the Senate nine years. Mr. PATTERSON was born in Henniker, Merrimack county, New Hampshire, July 2d, 1823. He received his education at Dartmouth College, from which he graduated in 1848. From 1854 to 1859 he was a Professor of Mathematics in Dartmouth College, after which he was transferred to the chair of Professor of Astronomy and Meteorology in the same institution. From 1858 to 1861 he was School Commissioner for Grafton county, and also Secretary of the Board of Education for the State. In 1862 he was a member of the State Legislature, and was subsequently elected to the Thirty-Eighth Congress.

THE Argentine Republic, occupying neutral ground in the war between Spain and the South American Republics up to the time Valparaiso was bombarded, has probably by this time made common cause with them against the foreign enemy. It is clear that Spain before had found her match, even if she had not given up the contest. Neither she nor the rest of the world dreamed that the South American people possessed so many resources, or such patriotic ardor as they have shown. The contest has elevated the people of those countries immensely, and secured for them an enviable standing in the future. On the contrary, Spain has suffered in the estimation of every enlightened nation on the globe, and has been badly beaten at all points.

AFTER what our Government did to suppress Fenianism, the Montreal *Gazette* charges that it has been guilty of bad faith, of violating its neutrality obligations, been false to everything and everybody, and stands before mankind guilty of nearly every crime that can be named. So much for meddling, the Fenians will say. On the other hand, the Montreal *Transcript* takes another view of it, and says:

"Know-nothingism is not yet dead, it is only sleeping; and the wide ramifications of the Fenian conspiracy, on a future occasion, will render the less numerous party more powerful than they were when the contest raged so fiercely some years ago. We speak in all sincerity when we declare our belief that the result of the Fenian movement is likely to prove more dangerous to the United States than to England, and that the Americans have allowed a monster to grow within their country which will turn upon and rend them."

ATTENTION is called by the Chicago *Tribune* to a curious statement in the replies of the Presidents of the great Telegraph lines to certain interrogatories propounded to them by Postmaster General DENNISON. It is stated, for instance, that the cost of constructing a line of six wires from Washington to New York, would be $665 25 per mile. So it would, probably, if the poles were mahogany, or the wires silver. Any competent telegraph builder will contract to put up a line of six wires, equal to any in use in the United States, for $350 per mile, and to duplicate the whole telegraph system of the country at that rate.

FOR the post of Naval officer at New York a regiment of applicants are plying the President, who, it is said, has given out that he shall not fill the vacancy just at present. As illustrating the greed for office, it may be stated, that as long ago as the 14th of April last, one individual started for Washington taking with him the intelligence that the physicians had pronounced Mr. ODELL past recovery, and that he must die within a few weeks.

THE address issued by SANTA ANNA, if it had an object, does not appear to have been successful. His countrymen repudiate it, and are preparing to have their views understood through a counter address which Mr. ROMERO, representative of the Mexican Republic, will shortly put forth. It is pretty clear that if Mr. SEWARD relies on accomplishing much with SANTA ANNA he is likely to have a dead failure on his hands.

IN New York, bone boiling and soap factories are regarded as an enemy to health, when located in the midst of a population, and measures have been taken to suppress them as nuisances of the worst description. In Pittsburgh there are numerous nuisances of the kind, and it cannot be doubted that their influence is extremely detrimental.

A CAUCUS of Union members of Congress is said to have been held, at which it was resolved not to take action upon the bills which accompanied the Constitutional Amendment, but to let the latter go forth as the basis upon which the party are willing to adjust the vexed question of reconstruction.

THE Tariff Bill will probably be reported to the House this week. The Committee are said to have made important changes, but they keep their action secret. Apprehensions are entertained that free-trade and the dog days will prove too much for tariff revision.

A GENTLEMAN connected with the telegraph expedition in Siberia, writes a letter to a friend in Cincinnati, giving some interesting facts. He says he has slept out doors with a few wild, wandering Koraks when the mercury was frozen at 43° below zero, and many a night have I passed on my dog sledge, with no covering but the dark blue Polar sky, with a temperature of 25° and 30° below zero. He speaks of a woman, a handsome one, too, about twenty-two years of age, who drove a team of reindeers with a loaded sledge fifty versts in one day, and at night slept out in the snow, with no covering except the clothes she had worn during the day, and in a temperature 43° below zero, or 75° below the freezing point.

E. B. Woodward, an accomplished musician and teacher of dancing, died a few days since near Stroudsburg, after a brief illness, caused by eating rhubarb or "pie plant."

PERSONAL.

—The arrival in Paris of a black millionaire is announced—the Duke de Bouton qui Perce (swelled pimple!), the wealthiest of the ex-Emperor Soulouque's courtiers. His fortune is stated to be seven millions; and a splendidly decorated and furnished hotel has been prepared for him in the Avenue de l'Imperatrice.

—A private letter to a gentleman from General Brisbin, dated Washington, June 13th, says: "Mr. Stevens was in the House to-day, and spoke on the reconstruction amendment to the Constitution. He is still feeble, but mending slowly. I asked him what ailed him, and he replied about seventy years, he believed. He subsequently said his liver was very much affected; and when I hinted that some people thought his gall touched, he said, 'Yes, it is very bitter.' No apprehensions need be felt by Mr. Stevens' friends, for he will undoubtedly get well. He never spoke more powerfully than he did today."

—William Page has finished his historical painting of Admiral Farragut. It represents the Admiral lashed to the shrouds of the Hartford, as he appeared during the great naval fight in Mobile Bay on the 5th of August, 1864. The picture will shortly be on exhibition at the Mercantile Library in New York city.

—The golden wedding of the venerable Presiding Bishop of the United States, Bishop Hopkins, of Vermont, and his estimable lady, took place at the Episcopal and family homestead, at Rock Point, Vermont, on the borders of Lake Champlain, last week, and continued from Wednesday evening to Friday morning. The Bishop is now in his seventieth year, having been married in 1816, and both he and Mrs. Hopkins are in the most robust and excellent health.

—The European Republican Committee, of which Mazzini is the leading member, have given credentials to Mr. Louis Bulewski, now in Boston, who is engaged in establishing communications between the European republicans and their friends here.

—Captain Coles, of the British Navy is about building a new turret ship for the navy at the yard of the Messrs. Laird, Glasgow. Captain Coles' plan for a turret is to be tested by firing at short range, at the turret of one of his ships already built, a steel bolt from a 300-pounder Armstrong gun, weighing 12 tons.

—General Robert Toombs is said to be sanguine that he will yet call the roll of his slaves at the foot of Bunker Hill. He is in Havana, and an account of a late interview with him declares that he defiantly asserts that the invincible giant of secession is not dead, but only taking a quiet snooze in order to invigorate himself for another and as Mr. T. hopes, a more successful attempt to overthrow the Government of the United States.

—The resignation of Sir Stephen Tuskington, Judge of the British Admiralty Court, is said to be soon expected. He was noted as one of the leading antagonists of the slave trade, was counsel to Queen Caroline, the adviser of Lady Byron, in her disputes with her husband, and otherwise legally distinguished.

—The Rev. Wm. C. McCune, who is in bad oder with several Presbyteries of the United Presbyterian Church, on account of his alleged unbelief in the right of a church to invite members of other evangelical denominations to commune with it at the Lord's Supper, is out in a vindicatory card in the Cincinnati newspapers, maintaining that every one who can give satisfactory scripture evidence that he is a true Christian has a right to be a member of any church on the earth.

—The Rev. Dr. Bullock, of the Franklin street Old School Presbyterian Church, Baltimore, has created considerable excitement among those who sympathize with him, by his opposition to the rules and regulations of the Northern sentiment of the church. Seventeen of his pastoral flock have protested against his course and claimed possession of the church property. Dr. Bullock and his friends profess to be shocked at the amalgamation of politics with religion, and a split is said to be quite inevitable.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

A letter from Springfield, Illinois, in describing the grave of President Lincoln, says: "The vases and smoothed stones of the tomb are already written over in pencil with the autographs of pilgrims who visited his shrine with a view to renew their devotions to country and liberty; and the remarks which each one adds are expressions of the most tender affection and confidence, such as: 'I fought three years under his command, and would fight three more for the same cause, under the same commander' 'We all loved him.' 'He was beloved by all his soldiers,' and many others of similar import."

The latest Chicago swindling enterprise is a gold mining company of five hundred thousand shares, at one dollar per share. The territory to be worked is alleged to be somewhere in Western Kansas.

The Cleveland papers report that information has been received by Mr. M. S. Castle, of that city, that upon the body of a man found brutally murdered, in Ridgeville, near Elyria, Ohio, a wallet was found marked, "M. H. Castle"—the name of his son.

The Memphis correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial* says that last Tuesday three men, named Banks, Wingate or Wingay, and Boyett, called at the house of William Corinth, six miles from Memphis, and took Wm. Carmichael and another man named Jos. Paine, into the woods, where they killed the former, but Paine barely escaped alive. A man named Daniel Henderson, relative of the murdered man, assisted in the capture. While returning to Memphis with the prisoners, Henderson declared the murderers' blood should be taken then and there, but officer Saint objected, saying that he had disarmed the prisoners. About dusk Henderson shot Banks in the spine and he rolled from his mule a dead man, drawing Wingate with him, who received a bad fracture, from the pistol ball, in the elbow. Henderson then turned upon Boyett and shot him twice. Officer Saint's expostulations were of no use and he finally shot Henderson, who died in ten minutes. The two surviving prisoners were quietly brought to the city.

The Cleveland Common Council have engaged the celebrated aeronaut, Professor Steiner, to make a visit to the clouds from that city on the Fourth of July.

The Rock Island (Ill.) *Argus* says that a young man named Collins has been arrested in that town upon a charge of having no less than four wives living—the last one he wedded being a girl only sixteen years of age. He has been returned to a state of single blessedness by means of a sentence for a term of years at hard labor in the State prison at Joliet.

A whole family in Cincinnati were asphyxiated by coal gas, last Thursday night, but very fortunately, no deaths resulted from it.

The Cincinnati papers give an account of another new swindling operation. This time an Englishman, through his acquaintance with a highly respectable artiste, became introduced to the officers of one of the Third street Banks in that city, with whom he left on deposit a neat tin box said to contain $20,000 in gold. The day after he borrowed $3,500 of the bank, leaving the box as security. As he did not turn up afterwards the box was examined and found to contain a quantity of No. 3 buckshot.

John Handlin, *alias* Cooper, the Conners Creek (Mich.) murderer, now in jail at Detroit, has been sentenced to solitary confinement at hard labor for life—the highest penalty fixed by law in that State. The prisoner received his sentence with the utmost composure.

The crops are looking unusually well in the Upper Cedar Valley, and, indeed, throughout Northern Iowa. Farmers say Iowa will, if present prospects hold good, have a much larger crop of wheat than ever before.

The income lists in Boston generally show a considerable falling off from the incomes of 1864, in some districts the decrease reaching one-third of the entire amount.

The clerical force at the office of the Commissary General of Prisoners is still kept busily employed in hunting up the record of Union soldiers who died during the war in rebel prisons, with a view to turn over to their surviving relatives the back pay due them from the Government at the time of their decease. As the necessary data for the settlement of such claims is in many instances difficult to obtain, it will probably be several months before the business of the office is thoroughly completed.

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J. H. Beckman, tavern, 2d ward, Pittsburgh.
Stephen Beedle, tavern, 2d ward, Pittsburgh.
Valentine Fehl, tavern, 2d ward, Pittsburgh.
Thomas Bailey, tavern, 2d ward, Pittsburgh.
David Reich, eating house, 2d ward, Pittsburgh.
Gustav Mark, eating house, 2d ward, Pittsburgh.
Louis Ceila, tavern, 3d ward, Pittsburgh.
John O'Neill, tavern, 3d ward, Pittsburgh.
Wm. Timms, eating house, 3d ward, Pittsburgh.
J. K. Lanahan, tavern, 4th ward, Pittsburgh.
C. M. Seely, tavern, 4th ward, Pittsburgh.
Wesley Kerr, tavern, 4th ward, Pittsburgh.
Wm. C. Wray, eating house, 4th ward, Pittsburgh.
John McCullough, other goods, 4th ward, Pittsburgh.
H. J. Weber, tavern, 5th ward, Pittsburgh.
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John Schreiber, tavern, 5th ward, Pittsburgh.
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James Campbell, eating house, 6th ward, Pittsburgh.
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J. S. Netmine, other goods, 9th ward, Pittsburgh.
Casper Rettigar, tavern, 10th ward, Pittsburgh.
Bartholomew Anth, tavern, 10th ward, Pittsburgh.
John Irwin, tavern, 10th ward, Pittsburgh.
Frank G. Kellerman, eating house, 10th ward, Pitts.
Fred. Shoemaker, eating house, 10th ward, Pitts'g.
George Siegrist, eating house, 10th ward, Pittsburgh.
Wm. H. Simpson, eating house, 10th ward, Pitts'g.
James McKay, other goods, 10th ward, Pittsburgh.
John P. Bergman, eating house, 1st ward, Allegheny.
Xaver Hegler, eating house, 1st ward, Allegheny.
James Campbell, eating house, 3d ward, Allegheny.
Robert Conley, eating house, 3d ward, Allegheny.
Fred. Lauer, eating house, 3d ward, Allegheny.
F. Hess, eating house, 3d ward, Allegheny.
Henry Hart, eating house, 3d ward, Allegheny.
Thomas Tschudi, eating house, 3d ward, Allegheny.
Nicholas Kealy, eating house, 3d ward, Allegheny.
J. J. Voitz, eating house, 3d ward, Allegheny.
Johanna Lang, eating house, 4th ward, Allegheny.
Gottleib Yunker, eating house, 4th ward, Allegheny.
Valentine Goebring, tavern, Birmingham.
Gedekob & Wood, other goods, Birmingham.
Catherine Frank, other goods, Birmingham.
Peter Auch, eating house, East Birmingham.
Louis Myers, eating house, Duquesne borough.
John Frauenholtz, tavern, Lawrenceville borough.
Joseph Hart, tavern, Lawrenceville borough.
Magdalena Fox, eating house, Lawrenceville boro.
Thomas Clark, tavern, McKeesport.
Blassius Rauch, eating house, South Pittsburgh boro.
F. W. Spreen, other goods, South Pittsburgh boro.
Ben. J. Bretch, other goods, West Pittsburgh boro.
Wm. Franey, tavern, Baldwin township.
Joseph Ganster, tavern, Baldwin tp.
Joseph G. Stanger, tavern, Collins tp.
Mary Ann Ward, tavern, Collins tp.
Margaret Powers, tavern, Indiana.
Andrew Miller, tavern, Indiana tp.
Wm. Thorpe, tavern, Mifflin tp.
Louis Hilke, tavern, McClure tp.
Jane Taylor, tavern, Patton tp.
Peter Bornberger, eating house, Reserve tp.
James Bryan, tavern, Robinson tp.
Patrick Dunn, tavern, Shaler tp.
Andrew McQueety, eating house, Scott tp.
Peter Keiser, tavern, Lower St. Clair tp.
Nicholas Steiner, tavern, Lower St. Clair tp.
Hogel, Fisher & Co., eating house, Lower St. Clair tp.
Matthew Harbison, tavern, Union tp.
Isabella Bell, tavern, Union tp.
Fred. Vierheller, tavern, Union tp.
Matthew Strachan, eating house, Union tp.
Ann Hahn, eating house, Union tp.
David Bavaird, other goods, Versailles tp.
Traugott Tschegner, tavern, Versailles tp.
Peter Perchment, tavern, Wilkins tp.
Sarah Dunn, other goods, Wilkins tp.

The Court will sit on WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of June, 1866, at 10 o'clock A. M. for hearing the above applications.

Applicants will file their bonds in my office before the day of hearing.

Remonstrances must be filed on or before the day of hearing.

Certificates of Licenses must be taken out after five and within fifteen days after having been granted, or they will be revoked according to law.

je18-3t WM. A. HERRON, Clerk.

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No. 67 Fourth street, nearly opposite the Bank of Pittsburgh. Chartered in 1862.

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Known as the Union Coal Works, containing 108 acres in the Third Pool, a short distance above Monongahela City. Road and houses in good condition. 40 Pit Cars, all in complete order. Inquire of J. & C. SEIBERT, 157 Grant street, and NICHOLAS SCHNYDER, in the Diamond, Birmingham, or 89 Water street. ap21-2meod

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A CARGO OF CHOICE
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20 hf. bbls. Prime Roll Butter;
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WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO furnish Refiners, oil dealers, &c., with a superior article of turned and pressed BUNGS, all made by patent automatic machinery. Orders respectfully solicited. Send for price list. Factory, No. 2 Marbury st., Pittsburgh, Pa. [je15-2w] HAYDEN & CO.

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There will be offered at PUBLIC SALE on
THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1866,
By the Chartiers Woolen Factory, of Washington county, the new

FACTORY BUILDING,

Just erected, near the borough of Canonsburg, in Washington county, Pa. The building is three stories high, with solid stone foundation, built of brick, in the most substantial manner, with

ENGINE AND BOILER

OF THE BEST WORKMANSHIP. The building is situated in Chartiers township, adjoining the borough of Canonsburg. Coal mines in regular working order within one hundred yards of the building. The location is in the best wool growing region in the State. There is no place in the United States that offers better facilities for the manufacture of woolens than this. The Chartiers Valley Railroad will run, when completed, within a few yards of the building.

Terms will be made acceptable and easy to the purchaser.

Any information will be given by application to the undersigned directors, SAMUEL ALEXANDER,
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300 BXS 2 LB CANNED PEACHES,
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In Store, and for sale by
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Have removed to 93 Market street, three doors above the old stand, where they have fitted up a more commodious room, and have opened a large and rich stock of WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVER WARE and PLATED GOODS, to which they invite public attention. je14-2w

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Flooring, Shelving, Shingles, and all descriptions of Yard and Mill Lumber,
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BOSTON CRACKERS	20 to 22	53 to 58
WINE do	30 to 32	58 to 62
SODA do	22 to 25	55 to 60
OYSTER do	128 to 135	50 to 55
WATER do	54 to 60	60 to 65
BUTTER do	72 to 75	48 to 56
SUGAR do	42 to 46	63 to 68
GRAHAM do	50 to 52	58 to 60
DYSPEPSIA do	20 to 22	60 to 65
CREAM do	52 to 54	40 to 50
GRAHAM WAFERS	32 to 34	58 to 62
MILK BISCUIT	30 to 32	45 to 50
GINGER SNAPS	80 to 84	65 to 70
PILOT BREAD	14 to 20	75 to 80
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Ginger Bread, Jumbles, Molasses Cakes, &c., Baked to Order.

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ARE BAKED IN A
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The inside is arranged with hanging shelves, hung on an immense reel, worked by steam. As soon as the shelves are filled the reel is put in motion, so that the heat is equal on all, giving a

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Thereby obviating the difficulty existing with the old fashioned oven, for in them some crackers are burned before the others are baked.

Crackers put up in Barrels, Half Barrels, or White Wood Boxes that hold a Half Barrel.

Boxes of 12 or 18 lbs. Assorted Crackers for Family Use.

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The Improved Elliptic Sewing Machines
With GLASS FOOT, BRAIDER and CORDER, and the
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Every Machine Warranted. Instruction free. Agents wanted in every county.
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This new institution, established and liberally endowed by the Hon. Asa Packer of Mauch Chunk, will be opened to receive students in the FIRST TWO CLASSES, on the 1st of September, 1866.

Its design is to impart to young men a thoroughly PRACTICAL EDUCATION, fitting them to take an immediate and active part in the professional duties of the busy age in which we live.

To this end the University course consists of two years of preparatory instruction—the same for all regular students—in those basis studies which every one should know for whatever profession he be intended. After this, the student following the bent of his mind, will enter and study for two additional years, in one of the following special schools:
The School of General Literature.
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In each school a special degree will be conferred.
Circulars giving details and terms may be obtained, by applying to HENRY COPPEE, President,
je6 3w New Bethlehem, Pa.

J. K. SMITH & CO.,
No. 1 and 2 Diamond,
SOUTH SIDE, NEAR MARKET ST.,
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
Teas and General Groceries,

Have now in store a very large assortment of Green, Black and Japan Teas, Lovering's Crushed, Pulverized, Granulated, and Coffee Sugars extra C; also Cuba and Porto Rico Sugar Booth & Edger's and Jersey City Syrup, Sorghum and New Orleans Molasses, Baker's Chocolate Broma, Cocoa and Cocoa Shells, Hecker's Farina, Durkee's Select Spices, Mulford's Saleratus, Colgate's Toilet Soaps, No. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel by the ¼ and half barrel, Shore Mackerel in kitts, Foreign and Domestic Fruits, etc., etc.
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WANTED—SITUATION.

WANTED—A Situation as Assistant Book-keeper or Clerk, by a young man. If required, references can be given. Address "A. O.," Pittsburgh, Pa. je18-1t

WANTED—A situation as salesman, by a young man of several years experience, in some good wholesale or retail house in this city. Can give the very best of references. Address "M. W. L." Commercial office. je15-3t

WANTED—A situation by a young man in some wholesale or retail store, or as driver, or to work in a warehouse; has had several years experience in the liquor business. Speaks English and German. Best reference given. Address "J. C. H." Commercial office. je15-3t

WANTED—A situation as book-keeper, clerk or assistant book-keeper, by a young man who has had five years experience, and can bring the best of city references; speaks German correctly. Please address "F. R," Commercial office.
je15-2w

PERSONAL.

WANTED—Information of the whereabouts of JOHN MILES, who left the house of a relative in Sligo, near Pittsburgh, about the last of November, and has not since been heard of by his family. It is feared that he may have been drowned. He was near fifty years old, quite bald on the top of the head, remaining hair light; sandy beard; height about five feet, seven inches stoutly built; had on when last seen a soft wool hat, dark cloth pants, dark sack coat woolen socks, coarse pegged shoes, and a gray woven flannel shirt, stitched round the neck with red yarn. Address Mrs. REBECCA MILES, box 689, Oil City, Pa., or Mrs. RACHEL FULLERTON, 198 Spring alley, Pittsburgh. my24-tf

NOTICES.

SEVENTY-SEVENTH PENNSYLVANIA VOLUNTEERS, Will assemble—pursuant to adjournment—at FIREMEN'S HALL, in the Diamond Market House, on TUESDAY EVENING, the 19th inst., at 8 o'clock P. M.
T. E. ROSE,
je15-4t President.

DIVIDEND—The Birmingham Gas Company has this day declared a dividend of FOUR PER CENT on the Capital Stock, payable on and after the 15th inst., at the Banking House of ROBINSON, McCLEAN & CO., No. 75 Fourth street.
je6-2w D. ROBINSON, Treasurer.

SALE OF STOCK.

OFFICE OF THE ROUSEVILLE OIL COMPANY,
No. 148½ SOUTH FOURTH STREET,
PHILADELPHIA, June 4th, 1866.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all delinquent stockholders, that unless the assessment of ten cents per share, made by the Company upon the stock shall be paid on or before eleven o'clock A. M., on the 26th day of June, inst., so much of the stock of said delinquents as will be required to pay said assessment and necessary expenses attending the sale, as provided by law, will at that time be sold at the office of the Company, at Public Auction.
By order of the Board of Directors.
je6-2taw3w D. VANDERVEER, Treasurer.

NOTICE.

THE REMAINING PART of the large property for sale laid out in Boyd & Allen's plan of lots, will be sold in lots or by the acre. Splendid for gardening purposes or for city residence. Apply to WM. S. BOYD, office of KIRKPATRICK & MELLON, corner of Diamond and Grant streets, or to RICHARD ALLEN, on the property at Lowerys, Clair Hotel. my15-3m

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, SS.

In the District Court, George H. Anderson and others vs. George W. Kiefer and William Hummel, firm of Kiefer & Hummell, Nos. 40 and 41, April Term, 1866. Execution.

And now, May 24, 1866, Malcolm Hay, appointed by the Court Auditor, to distribute the funds in Court From the Record. JACOB H. WALTER,
Prothonotary.

All parties interested are hereby notified that the undersigned will attend to the duties of the above appointment at his office, No. 81 Fourth street, Pittsburgh, on MONDAY, the 9th day of July next, at 10 o'clock, A. M. MALCOLM HAY,
je11-18-25 Auditor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been presented to the court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny county, Pa., by twelve freeholders of the Fourth ward, Allegheny City, praying that so much of Gooerin street, in said ward, as extends from the north side of Lacock street to the berme bank of the Pennsylvania Canal, should not be vacated and closed up, and that a rule has been granted to show cause why such vacation should not be decreed by the Court.

All persons having any interest in the premises are hereby notified to appear and file exceptions if any they may have.
HAMPTON & MORELAND,
je6-3taw Attorneys for Petitioners.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.—NOTICE is hereby given, that an instalment of fifty cents a share has been levied on the capital stock of the MEADOW MINING COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH, payable at the office of the Treasurer, in the city of Pittsburgh, on Monday, June 25, 1866.

Lake Superior stockholders may pay to John Senter, Esq., the Michigan director at Eagle River, Keweenaw county, Michigan.

The assessment is called to pay off the existing liabilities of the Company. By order of the Board of Directors. JAMES M. COOPER,
Secretary and Treasurer.
Pittsburgh, May 8, 1866. my9-td

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Whereas, letters of Administration on the estate of MICHAEL O'HARE, late of the city of Pittsburgh, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay, to
MALCOLM HAY, Adm'r,
81 Fourth street.
Pittsburgh, Pa., June 6, 1866.—je7-1taw6w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of HUGH ROWLAND, late of McKeesport, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons having claims against or indebted to the Estate will present them for settlement.
JOHN ROWLAND, Executor.
HANNAH ROWLAND, Executrix.
McKeesport, May 26, 1866. my26-M-1taw

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of JAMES GRAHAM, deceased, having been issued to the undersigned by the Register of Allegheny county, all persons having claims against or indebted to said estate, will call at 157 Liberty street and settle the same. R. J. THOMAS,
ap19-1taw6w Executor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, Executors of the Estate of Thomas Bakewell, late of the city of Pittsburgh, deceased, persons having claims against said estate are requested to make known the same to the Executors without delay, and those indebted to said estate to make payment to either, at the office of Bakewell, Pears & Co., No. 31 Wood street, Pittsburgh.
WILLIAM BAKEWELL,
BENJ. P. CAMPBELL,
BENJ. BAKEWELL Jr.,
J. P. PEARS,
ORMSBY PHILLIPS,
Executors.
Pittsburgh, April 27, 1866.—ap28-6w1taw

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of MALACHI IRWIN, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons having claims against, or being indebted to the estate will present them for settlement.
JOHN H. IRWIN,
CHARLES SCHWARM,
Executors.
Birmingham, June 14 1866. je15-6w1taw

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the estate of Samuel Eberman, late of Elizabeth borough Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same are requested to present them properly probated at the residence of the Administrator in Elizabeth.
my2-6t1taw R. B. ABRAHAM.

DISSOLUTIONS.

DISSOLUTION.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers in the Iron Foundry business at Pittsburgh, under the name of PENNOCK & TOTTEN, has been dissolved by agreement, JOSEPH PENNOCK retires from the firm, and has transferred all his interest therein to ROBERT C. TOTTEN, who is alone authorized to settle the business of the late firm and to use the firm name in settlement.
JOSEPH PENNOCK.
ROBERT C. TOTTEN.
Pittsburgh, May 31, 1866.

ALL THE FORMS OF MANUFACTURE heretofore carried on by the late firm of PENNOCK & TOTTEN, at the FULTON FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP, Pittsburgh, will be hereafter conducted by the subscribers under the name of TOTTEN & CO. ROBERT C. TOTTEN,
N. B. HOGG.
Pittsburgh, June 1, 1866.

In retiring from the Fulton Foundry, I very cordially bespeak for it a continuance of the patronage, which it has heretofore so liberally enjoyed.
JOSEPH PENNOCK.
Pittsburgh, May 31, 1866. je7-2w

DISSOLUTION.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the general livery stable and omnibus business, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business to be continued, all debts paid and claims collected by JAS. K. DAIN.
JAMES DAIN,
JAMES K. DAIN.
Pittsburgh, June 1, 1866. je6-3t

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.—The firm of CURLING, ROBERTSON & CO., was dissolved on the 31st day of October, A. D. 1861, by the death of MORGAN ROBERTSON. EDWARD DITHRIDGE has paid and adjusted all claims due to said firm, and has transferred his interest therein to GEO. ALBREE, assignee of A. B. CURLING, who will settle all claims due to or by said firm. GEO. ALBREE,
Assignee for
A. B. CURLING.
je5-1m EDW'D DITHRIDGE.

JULY 4, 1866.
FIRE WORKS. FIRE WORKS.

We now offer to the trade a large and well selected stock of FIRE WORKS for the coming Fourth, comprising a large variety of

COLORED and PLAIN ROCKETS, from 1 ounce to 16 ounces,
COL'D and PLAIN ROMAN CANDLES, 1 ball to 16 balls.
Grass Hoppers, Serpents,
Rosettes, Scrolls,
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Together with a large variety of Exhibition Pieces, from $5 to $50. Also a large stock of No. 1 FIRE CRACKERS and TORPEDOES, all of which we offer at the lowest market price.

Orders solicited, to which prompt attention will be given by

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LEASES,
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KNOX & ORR,
Wholesale Grocers,
And Dealers in FLOUR, BACON and LARD OIL,
NO. 268 LIBERTY STREET,
my26-1m Opposite Hand st., Pittsburgh.

TEA.
An assortment of Common and Fine Young Hyson, Black, Imperial, Gunpowder, Japan and Hyson Tea, to which the attention of the city trade is invited. For sale by
my17 MILLER & RICKETSON.

WANTED.

WANTED—TO EMPLOY.

WANTED—A middle-aged lady, one competent to fill the position of housekeeper in a hotel. Apply in person at Eastern Exchange Hotel, East Liberty. je16-2t

WANTED—TO PURCHASE.

WANTED—A small improved property, on or near the Allegheny Valley Railroad, say ten to twelve miles from the city. Address X. Y. Z., Commercial office. ap12-tf

WANTED—AGENTS.

WANTED—AGENTS—$150 per month and all expenses paid. Agents wanted, male and female, to sell the new $20 Baker Sewing Machine. I will pay the above salary, or give a large commission. W. H. HUNTERSON, General Agent, Cleveland, Ohio. je8 17t

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JOHN B. BELL COAL WORKS,
New Cumberland, Hancock Co., W. V.

By virtue of a decree rendered by the Circuit Court of Hancock county, West Virginia, at the April term, 1866, in a cause therein pending, wherein Thomas Hambrick, Administrator of John Cappy deceased, is plaintiff, and John B. Bell, defendant. The undersigned Commissioner and late sheriff of Hancock county, sold the structure of coal and other property hereinafter described, under a former order of the Court aforesaid, to the suit aforesaid to Thomas M. Sterret and John B. Bell, his surety; the said parties having failed and neglected to pay the amount of purchase money due and secured by the second bond given by the said Sterret with John B. Bell, his surety; therefore, pursuant to the decree in said cause the undersigned Commissioner, will proceed on the premises, on TUESDAY, July 10, 1866, to re-sell all the following property, to wit: all that stratum of coal purchased by said John B. Bell from said John Cappy, near the town of New Cumberland, in said county of Hancock, containing about 100 acres of coal of best quality; also lots of ground in said town of New Cumberland, numbered and designated on the plat thereof by the Nos. 47, 48, 49, 50, 59, 70, 71, 72, 81, 82, 83 and 84; also coal cars together with all the fixtures and appurtenances belonging to said Bell, and used in and about the coal works, all of which property will be sold under the decree aforesaid.

The sale will be one-third cash in hand and the residue in two equal instalments, payable in one and two years with interest, the purchaser executing bonds with approved security for the deferred payments. The said sale will be at the risk and expense of the said Thomas M. Sterret and John B. Bell, his surety, and the title will be retained till the purchase money is paid. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. SAMUEL W. WILSON,
je2-1m Commissioner.

VALUABLE LAND
FOR SALE
IN THE
MONONGAHELA VALLEY.

The subscribers offer for sale 371 acres of
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With COAL UNDERLYING 134 ACRES. This land is situated in Washington county, fifteen miles from Pittsburgh, one mile from the Brownsville Road, and a quarter of a mile from Coal Bluff Landing, on the Monongahela river. The improvements are a STONE DWELLING, FRAME BARN, with extensive stabling for cattle and horses, STONE SPRING HOUSE, SHOP, &c. It contains two Orchards of choice fruit; abundance of Limestone, and is well watered with never failing Springs of ice-cold water. It is well adapted to all kinds of Grain, Grazing, or Fruit Cultivation. The property is divided into three parts, of 130, 124, and 117 acres, which will be sold separately, or together, to suit purchasers. For terms apply to

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125 Acres of land, situate in Versailles Township, Allegheny county, on the Greensburg Turnpike, within ½ mile of Port Perry, and 1 mile of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Brinton Station, 12 miles East of Pittsburgh. This farm contains an abundance of the finest quality of LIMESTONE AND COAL, sufficient for family use, well watered by several springs of EXCELLENT WATER; the improvements are a LARGE STONE DWELLING HOUSE, 9 rooms, a LARGE FRAME BARN, CARRIAGE HOUSE, Spring House, and other out buildings. There is also on the farm a fine orchard of WELL SELECTED FRUIT. This farm will be sold cheap, if a purchaser offers soon. Terms reasonable. Inquire of S. B. W. GILL,
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Liberal Terms to Settlers

Situated in the fertile Valley of the Kanawha, West Virginia, unsurpassed for richness of soil and quality of timber. Coal and other minerals in great quantities. Some of the tracts but a short distance from the Kanawha and Gauley Rivers. Several Farms, Houses, Orchards, &c., in good condition. Prices according to location and improvements. Timbered Land improved at the extremely low price of four dollars per acre, with privilege of choosing out. A large settlement is already formed and is daily increasing. Clear title warranted. For further particulars, address
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I offer to sell, on moderate terms, a convenient, well built, three-story brick DWELLING HOUSE on Second street, below Market street.

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About five minute's walk from Shady Side Station, Pennsylvania Railroad, and near the East Liberty Passenger Railway; about three fourths of an acre, highly cultivated, with Dwelling of five rooms, hot and cold water to sink, and bath rooms, good well of water at the door, with pump. Also, large brick cistern, with pump in kitchen—to be sold cheap, if applied for soon at No. 140, corner of Sixth and Smithfield streets.
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At Edgewood Station, Pennsylvania Railroad, one half mile from Wilkinsburgh 11 acres, 136 perches of Land, a fine new dwelling, containing ten rooms and cellars underneath. Fruit and other conveniences on the premises. For further information call at No. 106 Fifth street, Pittsburgh or on the premises.
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FARM, GARDEN AND HOUSEHOLD.

CURE FOR GARGET.

A tablespoonful of saltpetre given to a cow once a day, for three or four days, is an effectual remedy for the garget. It can be given in a mash, if the cow is hearty, or in a dough pill. So says a New York farmer.

TO CURE SCRATCHES ON HORSES.

A correspondent of the *American Farmer* says: Keep the fetlock clean with Castile soapsuds, and then wash them twice a day with buttermilk. Give them a good rubbing at each time.

SCAB IN SHEEP.

Take one pound of mercurial ointment, and three pounds fresh lard, well mixed together. Turn the sheep upon its back and anoint the bare spot under each leg, and also around each place where the "scab" has appeared. Keep the subject from the weather a few days.

BREAKING COLTS.

"David," in the *Germantown Telegraph*, says he is strongly opposed, both in principle and practice, to "breaking colts"—that is, allowing them to attain the age of two or more years before taking them in hand for learning the principles which are to form so important a part in their future life. There should be no "breaking" about it. The education should begin as soon as the colt is born, and, if properly attended to, will be perfect by the time he is large enough to drive. Being led or tied with a halter should be his first lesson, and the sooner he learns it the shorter the struggle and the more permanent the lesson; never give him a chance to break loose, for once done he will remember it for a long time; and, if the lesson be too often permitted, he will make a proficient in this not desirable art.

SALT IN FATTENING SWINE.

A correspondent states some interesting experiments to test the use of salt in fattening swine. He selected two pair of barrow hogs, weighing 200 lbs. apiece. One pair received with their daily allowance of food, two ounces of salt; the other pair, similarly fed, none. In the course of a week, it was easily seen that the salted pair had a much stronger appetite than the others, and after a fortnight it was increased to two ounces apiece. After four months, the weight of the salted pair was 350 pounds, each, while that of the unsalted, five weeks later, reached only 300 pounds. The experiment was repeated with almost the same results. The correspondent feeds young pigs according to their age, a quarter of an ounce daily; breeding sows very little during pregnancy, and during the heat of summer withholds it in a degree from all, as it induces thirst and a liability to disease.

AGRICULTURAL IMPROVEMENT.

The *Working Farmer* says on this subject: "Improvement in modes of culture means simply that the land shall be underdrained, if wet; plowed deep, subsoiled, and cultivated thoroughly, so as to keep the weeds down, the surface of the ground constantly stirred, and open to the ingress of the air and dews. The atmosphere is a storehouse of moisture, carbon, ammonia, and other vital elements of crops, but it cannot penetrate a baked, closely packed soil, in order to produce those changes in its chemical condition, without which the wonderful processes of plant growth are impossible. But if the surface and subsoil are loosened by deep cultivation and disturbed frequently during the season of vegetation, the air circulates freely among the particles of soil; water, the solvent of all the organic and inorganic constituents of crops, is supplied in proper quantities to produce the right conditions for the free appropriation of plant food. Thus the improved tillage of the soil develops an extra farm beneath the surface not enumerated in the title deed, and many a farmer who to-day starves on a hundred acres might grow rich on a quarter of that area, cultivated according to the methods we have indicated.

CARBONACEOUS LIQUIDS.

All liquids, says the Germantown *Telegraph*, containing carbonaceous matters, are highly valuable for irrigating plants. Cow excrement soaked or macerated in water by placing in a half-hogshead, tub or other suitable vessel, and exposing it to the sun for twenty-four hours, will furnish a most valuable stimulant, and one that may be applied with advantage to every species of crop. Hen manure, macerated in the same way, will, when applied to cucumber, squash and other similar vines, protect them from the ravages of the bug, and tend also greatly to promote their growth.

PLUM TREES IN POULTRY YARDS.

The Maine *Farmer* says: Somebody recommends setting out plum trees in the poultry yard, so that the hens will destroy the curculio that infest the plums. We think well of this plan. We have tried all sorts of ways to get rid of these pirates, without any success, except by keeping the trees in the most thrifty condition, thereby furnishing a superabundance of fruit for them. We hope some of our fruit-raisers will try this plan of setting them out in the poultry yard.

CATERPILLARS.

A correspondent writing to the *Virginian Farmer*, says a friend of his, a year or so since, discovered by accident while boiling coal tar, that the boiling, or burning of it under trees infested with caterpillars would kill the last one of them. The trees near the boiling, or burning tar, (I saw them myself,) were literally covered with caterpillars, and every one fell and died under the trees. If the tar be put into a long handled frying pan, and set on fire, it could be carried from tree to tree, and kept under each tree until the desired end is accomplished. This hint to fruit growers should be sufficient.

TO KEEP TIES ON WHEELS.

Hear what a practical man says on the subject: "I ironed a wagon one year ago for my own use, and before putting on the tires I filled the felloes with linseed oil; and the tires have worn out and were never loose. I ironed a buggy for my own use several years, and the tires are now as tight as when put on. My method of filling the felloes with oil is as follows: I use a long cast iron heater, made for the purpose. The oil is brought to a boiling heat, the wheel is placed on a stick, so as to hang in the oil each felloe, an hour for a common sized felloe. The timber should be dry, as green timber will not take oil. Care should be taken that the oil be no hotter than a boiling heat, in order that the timber be not burnt. Timber filled with oil is not susceptible to water, and the timber is much more durable. I was amused some years ago, when I told the blacksmith how to keep the tire tight on wheels, by his telling me that it was a profitable business to tighten tires, and the wagon maker will say that it is profitable to him to make and repair wheels; but what will the farmer who supports the wheelwright and smith say?"

CATTLE PLAGUE.

The *Country Gentleman* says:—"From the first opinion we had occasion to express with regard to the cattle plague, down to the present time, we have seen no reason to change the views entertained as to the supreme importance of the isolation of the infected and the killing of the diseased, as compared with any or all other modes of treatment. These views have been fully corroborated in the experience of Continental Europe, and Great Britain has been brought to acknowledge their correctness, but only after suffering almost incalculable loss. Dr. Voelcker, Chemist of the Royal Agricultural Society of England, in a private letter to Secretary Johnson, of this city, dated London, April 9th remarks:—'At last the Government has adopted stringent measures of isolation, and, I am glad to say, the disease is gradually dying out; and by the time our machinery, which is now set in motion to prevent the extension of the cattle plague, shall be in good working order, I trust there will be no more stock attacked by it.'"

FETTERS.

A correspondent of the *Ohio Farmer* finds a pair of fetters buckled around the hind legs of a cow to be the best means of preventing her kicking when milked. One leg acts as a post to hold the other. He thinks it a much better way than to kick and swear at the cow.

ACTIVE MANURE.

The *Maine Farmer* says: One of the most active manures and readily within the reach of most farmers, is a mixture of leached ashes, plaster, and night soil mixed with fine soil. Let them be thoroughly worked over on a smooth spot, and allowed to stand a week before using, working it over every other day, and you have a most valuable manure at a trifling cost of time. A handful of this mixture in a hill is excellent to give corn a start. Potatoes and garden vegetables generally feel it very quick. Hen manure is an excellent ingredient in such manures, but it should be well slaked with water before mixing with other substances.

BONE MEAL FOR COWS.

A writer in *The Country Gentleman* says:—"I have noticed for years that cows, particularly at the time of the greatest flow of milk, chew bones with avidity, and was led to suppose it was because pasture constantly fed by cows in milk, whereby the phosphates or bone-making qualities were being largely removed, became deficient in those qualities, and that by the use of plaster or bone meal the phosphate might be restored, or that feeding cows bone would be a substitute which nature might require.

"Last spring I received from Boston one quarter barrel of bone flour, and through misdirection did not get it in time for use for spring crops, and it occurred to me that it might be well to feed some to my cows. Consequently I opened the cask, but found the smell quite offensive, and thought my cows would not eat it; but by mixing it with salt I found, notwithstanding the smell, that they ate it with a good relish and good results; and I suggest that those persons who are troubled with premature calves, try feeding their cows bone meal, and report the result."

CAUTION AS TO THE APPLICATION OF KEROSENE.

A correspondent of the *Maine Farmer*, writing at Industry, Franklin county, says: "A few days ago a neighbor applied kerosene to a valuable pair of four year old oxen, to kill lice. Both were soon after taken sick, and one of them has died. On being opened, the smell of the oil was quite strong, and without doubt it caused the sickness and death of the animal."

KICKING IN THE STABLE.

A correspondent of the *Plowman*, gives his method of curing a horse of the practice of kicking in the stable. He says his method is to put a strap around one of the hind legs, between the fetlock and the hoof, with a small chain about two feet long attached. Whenever the horse kicks the chain will hit him and he will soon be cured.

PROPAGATING BY CUTTINGS.

The Germantown *Telegraph* says: Propagating by cuttings is not nearly so well understood by people generally, as it should be. We may say by gardeners generally. Nearly all soft wood will grow from cuttings, in the hand of a careful person. It is a common way to multiply grapes, currants, gooseberries, &c.; but few persons, unacquainted with horticulture, will attempt the same thing with flowering shrubs, which are usually "laid down," with which there is not the least difficulty, though with some the success is not so uniform as others. All the Arbor Vitaes can be propagated by inserting the branches of last year's wood four or five inches, without removing the leaves. Prepare the bed, dig deeply, pulverize the soil well, and put it in good order. To be sure of the cutting growing, it should be inserted five or six inches in depth, and placed from four to six inches apart, the earth being placed firmly around them. They should be mulched, and watered moderately daily in warm weather when the ground is dry. They can be either potted in the fall, or let remain over winter, slightly protected with a little straw or long manure. Amateurs should plant grape cuttings with two eyes, the upper eye being placed a little below the surface of the ground.

SHEEP VS. BORERS.

A New Hampshire farmer has discovered that his orchard in which his sheep were pastured was free from borers, and other noxious insects, and very thrifty, while an adjoining orchard, in which no sheep were allowed, was neither thrifty nor exempt from these borers and insects. He thinks the presence and odor of the sheep drives off the insects.

THE APPLE MAGGOT.

The *Circular*, Wallingford, Conn., says: The larva of the codling moth, or what is generally known throughout the States as the apple worm, is quite a different insect from the apple maggot. Here in Connecticut, and we presume throughout the New England States, both of these insects are very numerous, and seriously damage the apple crop every year, by rendering nearly one-half of the fruit unfit for anything except cider, or to feed to swine, and leaving but very few specimens that are not more or less injured by one or both of them.

The apple maggot threatens to be more of a nuisance, even, than the apple worm. It perforates the apple through and through, in all directions, seldom coming to the surface; and while the fruit, perhaps, looks fair on the outside, the inside may be a mere honey-comb, and entirely unfit for use. Not so with the operations of the apple worm, which enters the blossom end and feeds around the core of the apple, passing out perhaps through the cheek, leaving a portion of the apple (if in the latter part of the season) fit for use. The larva of the codling moth is half an inch in length, while the apple maggot is less than a quarter of an inch.

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	Leaves.	Arrives.
Mail to and from Mahoning	7.00 a. m.	6.00 p. m.
Express do do	4.00 p. m.	10.05 a. m.
Soda Works Accom		8.00 a. m.
Kiskiminetas do	1.30 p. m.	
First Hulton do	9.00 a. m.	11.20 a. m.
Parnassus do	11.00 a. m.	2.00 p. m.
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Express	3.00 p. m.	10.00 a. m.
West Newton Accommod'n	6.15 p. m.	8.30 a. m.
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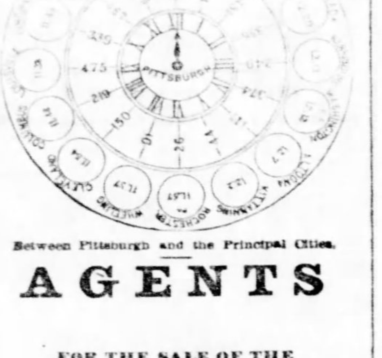

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PITTSBURGH FEMALE COLLEGE.

Annual Sermon by the Rev. Herrick Johnson, at Christ's M. E. Church.

The commencement exercises of the Pittsburgh Female College, which began on Thursday last, embraced an annual sermon, which was delivered yesterday afternoon, in Christ's Methodist Episcopal Church, on Penn street, by the Rev. Herrick Johnson, pastor of the Third (N. S.) Presbyterian Church, of Pittsburgh. The pupils of the College occupied a portion of the centre aisle of the church, and among their number was the graduating class of 1866, whose names are as follows: Misses Mary T. Dihm, Classical, Allegheny; Olivia J. Smith, Classical, Sharpsburg; Virginia L. Stevens, Classical, Zeno, Ohio; Elizabeth Dalzell, English, Enon Valley; Eliza H. Duffy, English, New Castle; Caroline H. Lynch, English, Allegheny; Elizabeth D. M'Cay, English, Blairsville; Mary R. Pumphrey, English, Pittsburgh; S. Elizabeth Smith, English, Sharpsburg; and Anna M. Steen, English, Pittsburgh.

A few minutes before three o'clock, the Rev. E. B. Snyder, pastor of Christ's M. E. Church, Rev. I. C. Pershing, D. D., and Rev. Herrick Johnson, entered the pulpit, and the services were commenced by a voluntary on the organ, after which the quartette choir rendered Hummell's solo and quartette; "Thou art our Father," from Baumbach's sacred quartette collection. The 999th hymn, commencing:

> "Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
> Does his successive journeys run," &c.,

was sung by the congregation. The Rev. E. B. Snyder then offered a fervent prayer, after which the congregation sung the 996th hymn, commencing:

> "Hasten, Lord, the glorious time
> When beneath Messiah's sway," &c.

The Rev. Herrick Johnson then delivered the annual sermon, taking the following text: "Wo to thee, O land, when thy King is a child."—*Ecclesiastes, tenth chapter, and sixteenth verse.* The reverend gentleman's theme was: "The stability of a Nation secured by the mental and moral activity of the governing power." He said, the land referred to in the text is the "land" of Persia. The word "child" did not mean a child in years, but in understanding and in heart; in intellectual power; in wisdom and knowledge. According to the Israelitish standard; according to the standard of God's law, even the best of the Persian Kings were more boys than men. "They are not kings who have thrones, but they who know how to govern." One of the prophets of God, declared of the reign of Hezekiah, a king of Israel, that wisdom and knowledge should be the stability of his times and the strength of his deliverances; wisdom, meaning among the old Hebrews, true piety—the fear of God. Historic fact subsequently confirmed and corroborated the prophetic utterance. Hezekiah, ascending the throne when his people were politically subject to the Assyrians, and morally under the bondage of idolatry, and freeing them from both, was one of the most worthy, honored and efficient kings that ever swayed sceptre. He was magnified in the sight of all nations. Great reforms, the overthrow of idolatry, the progress of public improvements, disenthrallment from grievous political oppression, distinguished deliverances, and finally, years of uninterrupted prosperity and peace, make his reign memorable in history. He was buried in the chiefest of the sepulchres of the sons of David, and over his tomb even the King of Kings pronounced a glowing and peerless eulogy. An understanding that qualified him for the high and perilous duties of sovereignty, and a heart ever loyal to Him who sways the sceptre of universal empire—in other words, knowledge and wisdom, these were declared by Israel's seer to have been the stability of his times and the strength of his deliverances—the voice of the prophet is the voice of God. These possessed by the ruling power will secure the perpetuity of any people, and fix the foundations of government as upon a basis of adamant. This was the clear voice of history, ringing it down the centuries, that these and these alone are the conditions of stable and enduring nationality. "History is philosophy teaching by examples." Abstract principle is often embodied and made concrete in historic fact. Theories find form and expression in events and external truth is realized and made actual in the world's life, while piety and knowledge declared to be the governing power of the earth. So we have other Kingdoms of the earth. So with America. But the government in other cases has been a Monarchy. Here, where is it? In the people! The people is King! Each man goes to make up the sovereign. Here, therefore, wisdom and knowledge, to be the stability of our times, should belong to the people. The people must not be a child. Intelligence and Godliness must permeate the entire body politic—pervade and leaven the whole mass; in fact, there must be a mental and moral activity throughout all the ramifications of society, or with us, those conditions of the governing power are wanting, that secure the stability of a nation. This being true, it was well that ours is the age, and ours the land, and where such wide diffusion of knowledge is possible. We were standing in history where self and representative Government, freedom of conscience, the separation of ecclesiastical and civil power, and education for the masses are no longer Utopian dreams of wild enthusiasts, but realized matters of fact, challenging the world's recognition. It was true a curse is in the world for plucking fruit off the tree of knowledge, yet that forbidden indulgence so perverted conscience and besclouded reason, that to-day, ignorance was the curse of God. To this the race had been tending for centuries, and men were being compelled to admit that in the broadest and highest sense "ignorance is indeed the curse of God—knowledge the wing wherewith we fly to heaven." The reverend gentleman adverted briefly to discovery, invention and reform as severally contributing their quota toward this desired result, showing that wherever the governing power lies, there must be *intelligence* to discern and *virtue* to adopt that which is wisest and best; that government must be thus conditioned or freedom is lost in anarchy or despotism. The dangers that had threatened our American national life in the past had arisen in large part from ignorance. Wherever discussion had been the greatest, mind the most active, knowledge the most universal; wherever the cause of general education had been best supported, there the pillars of State had stood the firmest.

But, the education, he said, must be of the *heart* as well as of the head. Moral as well as mental activity must characterize the governing power. Religion was no less essential than intelligence. "Knowledge is Power;" but to control aright, it must be under moral restraint and guided by the promptings of true wisdom. We needed and must have a *sanctified* scholarship. Our philosophy—so much of it, at all events, as is political and practical, must be pervaded by the philosophy of the Gospel and baptised with the spirit and power of the Christianity. An education with no heart in it was a perilous thing. Knowledge without religion was a Godless education. "History has scored with her most precious curses," "God only is great," said Massilon. True, and hence man is only truly great as he is like God. Revolutionary France declared the throne in the heavens vacant, and made proclamation that there is no God. The Sabbath was changed to a decade, and the sanctuary to a stable. The Bible was paraded through the streets in mock solemnity and placed on a pyre to be burned. Society was reft of its safeguards; the goddess of reason was enthroned for worship, and the maddest violence committed under the sacred name of liberty. If we would perpetuate the basis of our government we must shun a godless education and a perverted christianity. A genuine christianity keeps side by side with learning. There must not be the least compromise with infidelity or skepticism. A president of one of our colleges rings out the true doctrine when he says: "We shall not apologise for christianity, nor treat it even as a handmaid of natural science, but as the queen regent over all our studies and our lives; our richest possession in time, our only hope for eternity." He wished for the ear of every man of wealth in this begrimed and busy city, and exclaimed: "O, that the great beat of our trip-hammers, and the busy ring of our anvils, and the rattle of our machinery, and the clang, and buzz, and whirl, and roar of our busy life could be arrested long enough to make men feel that investments for mind and heart yield a richer return and pay a better per cent., than investments for stomach and pocket,—that this community would be far more advanced to-day, even in its material interests, if its accumulated wealth, long ago, had been freely given to build up a university for young men and a college for young women, that should have compelled for the State and nation their recognition as among the foremost and most distinguished of the homes of science and of sanctified scholarship in the land."

Mr. Johnson then briefly discussed the proposition that the individual should not be lost in the mass—the person in the people. We talked so much of the nation, the race and the age, that we were apt to lose sight of the importance of the separate particulars of which they are composed. It was a fatal mistake to suppose that so long as a large majority of the people are intelligent and honest, we are exposed to no dangers. The recent crisis through which we have passed should teach us better than this. In a land like America, where people is king, and where with every child there are glorious possibilities, there being no royal road to place and honor, woman's influence was the mightiest and most potential. Upon her largely rested the responsibility of deciding the question whether this king shall be "a child," or vitalized with the energies, and ennobled and adorned with the graces of intellectual and moral manhood. How important then that she should be privileged with the most generous and thorough culture; that to the graces of her person should be added the richer charm of mental cultivation, and above all, that her scholarship should be baptised into the spirit and power of the holy religion of Jesus Christ. The reverend gentleman addressed a few words of congratulation and advice to the graduating class, and closed his discourse.

The concluding devotional exercises were then observed, the congregation joining in the 1031st hymn, commencing:

> "Lord, while for all mankind we pray,
> Of every clime and coast,
> O, hear us for our native land—
> The land we love the most."

Public Amusements.

THEATRE.—Miss Noemie De Marguerittes, a young and beautiful actress, will make her first appearance in this city this evening, selecting for her *debut* the much admired character of "Fanchon." Miss De Marguerittes, who is only sixteen years of age, is the daughter of the celebrated authoress, Madame De Marguerittes, and has already earned favorable distinction upon the stage. She is a very intelligent young lady, having received a classical education, and can sing in German, French and Italian, as well as in English, and is well versed in the Terpsichorean art. During her engagement, which is for six nights only, she will present several new and attractive plays.

ALADDIN AT THE OPERA HOUSE.—Manager Leak will this evening present the grand spectacular play "Aladin, or the Wonderful Lamp," in which the popular commedienne Miss Mottie Williams will appear as "Aladdin," and Felix A. Vincent as "Hasrac." The spectacle has been gotten up at a lavish expenditure of time and money, and will be produced with such a display of gorgeous scenery and beautiful costumes as has never before been equalled upon the stage in Pittsburgh. The scenic artist, Arthur Palmer, has painted sixteen new scenes all of which are exceedingly creditable to him. The set-piece, entitled the "Cave of Jewels," will dazzle with brilliancy, and excels in splendor anything of the kind ever attempted here. The drop-scene, "The Blasted Cedar," is a fine painting, and proves Mr. Palmer an artist of no ordinary merit. In fact, all the scenes are exquisitely painted. Some sixty performers will take part in the play, and Mr. Leak has provided himself with every accessory to give the play in a style of magnificence that cannot fail to delight crowded audiences, which it should and will attract.

MASONIC HALL.—Skiff & Gaylord's Minstrels will give their first concert this evening in Masonic Hall. This is a first-class company, and always popular here, as they get off new jokes, new songs and excellent music. The musical panorama of "Sherman's March to the Sea" will also be unrolled. The troup give but three concerts in this city.

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

SATURDAY, June 16, P. M.

Gold opened in New York this morning at 151 and was soon after quoted at 156, and by telegram received at 1 P. M., at 155½, a half hour later 157¾, and at 4 o'clock 158¾. The cause of this sudden rise will be found in the foreign news in another column United States sixes of eighty-one, 110½; five-twenties 102½; ten-forties, 96¾; seven-thirties, 102½; Cleveland and Pittsburgh, 82½; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago, 96¼; Erie, 59½; Chicago and Northwestern, 30¼; Bennehoff, (oil), 12; Pithole, 2½; United States, 6¼; Gregory, gold, 14½; Quartz Hill, 1; Smith and Parmlee, 9¼.

—The slight rise in eighty-ones, which have a gold coupon maturing in two weeks, indicates a want of confidence in the price of gold being maintained long; and five-twenties ought to have advanced with gold also, if buyers had any confidence in the permanency of the present rise. A very hansome profit would result from the purchase in New York of five-twenties at 102¾ and the sale of them in London at 64½ at the present price of gold, so that at all events it is not likely any will be now *sent here* for sale.

—We have nothing worthy of note in our local market, save increased offerings of bank stocks at the current high prices, but buyers want considerable concessions.

Columbia, oil, is in demand at 18. Holders are generally firm at 18¾@19.

PITTSBURGH GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, MONDAY, June 18, 1866.

Business on Saturday was not very active, this, however, is no unusual occurrence for the last day of the week. The weather on Saturday was changeable, we had occasional showers, and our friends that run on the river predict a rise of water during the present week. A coal boat rise would be very beneficial about this time. Produce—The receipts continue to increase, the market contains a good supply, and prices have a downward tendency. Ashes—The market was firm, the advance in gold will stimulate dealers; higher prices will be demanded. Flour—was firm with a steady jobbing demand; prices have been uniform for several days; the receipts are increasing; the inquiry for export is subsiding, the river to Oil City being too low for transmission. Bacon—Firmness was the order of the day. The stock on hand is rapidly disappearing, and will soon be exhausted unless replenished. Salted meats are wanted for the western and southern market. Country meats meet with ready purchasers at current rates. Butter dull; the supply being in excess of the demand, prices have a downward tendency. Eggs—Prices have undergone no change; stock ample. Hay scarce, and sold at the scales, and on landing at liberal price. Potatoes—The season for the old crop is now far advanced; sales were made at a variety of prices, according to condition. Business on the landing was not very active. Freights were not plenty; boats have to wait some time before they can procure a trip. The Leonidas departed for St. Louis with a fair trip of freight. The Nora, for Cincinnati, had a good load. The Pine Bluff will take her departure for Memphis this day. The new steamer, Emma No. 2, will depart this day for Cairo and St. Louis. The Julia No. 2, left for Zanesville with a fair trip. Below will be found the sales that came under our notice:

BACON—We continue to notice a firm market with a good demand for jobbing purposes and for export. The supply in this market is light. The sales for some days past were large. We note the following transactions: Sugar cured hams—Sales 6,000 lbs at 24@24½c for canvassed; Clear sides—sale of 4,000 lbs. at 18@18½c; sales 2,000 lbs ribbed, 17c; Shoulders—Sales 10,000 lbs. 15½@15¾c.

DRIED BEEF—Firm sales. 500 lbs canvassed at 25c.

LARD—The market was firm; but not very active. Sales were made in a regular way at 22½c.

LARD OIL—Market unchanged. Sales 40 bbls of No. 1 at $1 85@1 85 ℔ gallon.

COUNTRY SIDES—Sales 500 lbs clear at 16c.

BUTTER—The market has undergone no change. The supply exceeds the demand. Sales 10 packages assorted at 20@23c ℔ lb.

EGGS—The market has undergone no change. Sales 12 barrels, in lots, at 22@23c ℔ dozen.

HAY—Firm with a good demand. Sales 20 bales on the wharf at $25 50 ℔ ton. Sales 16 loads loose at the scales at $24@28.

HIGHWINES—Were inquired for. Sales 50 barrels Government gauge at 22c ℔ gallon.

WHISKY—Small lots of city rectified were disposed of at $2 25@2 26 ℔ gallon.

SHOT—The market was without change. Sales 4 bbls at 55c, 8 do at 55c, and 6 do at 56c ℔ gallon.

FLOUR—The market was firm with a steady trade demand for home purposes and for export. The supply equal to the demand. The transactions were not large. We note the following: Winter wheat flour extra family—Sales 140 bbls at $12 50@12 75. 100 do do at $12 40; 75 bbls choice at $11 00. Spring wheat flour—sales 80 bbls at $10 85; 75 bbls do at $11 00; 100 bbls the terms withheld.

DRIED FRUITS—Firm. Sales—apples 17@18c for new; peaches, halves 24c, sales, 1,200 lbs quarters, 18c.

CANNED FRUITS—Sales of 2 lb cans of peaches at $1 50 per doz; 3 lb cans do at $4 75.

CHEESE—We note the following sales: 20 boxes Goshen at 22@23c; 15 do W. R. 16c; 30 do Hamburg at 17@18c.

FISH—Market steady. Sales 30 half bbls white fish at $9 50; 4 half bbls No. 3 mackerel at $9 50.

PICKLES—Sales 4 bbls in vinegar at $1 20 per cwt.

GRAIN—The market has undergone no particular change. Sales were made principally to supply the wants of the home market, viz: Oats—Sales, 1 car at depot at 57c; 450 bush from store at 60c. Wheat was firm with a fair trade demand; sales 1 car at 2 40 for Northwestern. Corn dull and offered freely with sales of 1 car shelled at 80c. Barley and Rye was without change; prices nominal.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY COMMERCIAL, MONDAY, June 18, 1866.

The following are the receipts of oil by the Allegheny, Monongahela and Ohio rivers and the various railroads for the past week. Also from the first of January, with a comparitive table for the same period in 1865:

	Rivers.	Rail.	Total.
Monday, June 11	2,819	1,754	4,573
Tuesday, June 12	11,970	2,063	14,033
Wednesday, June 13	15,699	1,497	17,196
Thursday, June 14	7,705	1,784	9,489
Friday, June 15	6,795	2,051	8,846
Saturday, June 16	2,426	1,076	3,502
Total for week	47,414	10,225	57,639
Since January 1	520,775	128,167	648,914
Receipts to June 16	568,189	138,394	706,583
Same time in 1865	143,910	51,690	195,600
Increase in 1866	424,279	86,705	510,983

The above table comprises the receipts of oil from all points by river and rail. The increase is large over the previous year. The receipts from Smith's Ferry are steadily increasing. We learn from pretty good authority, that upwards of one hundred and twenty wells are producing in that district, and that the daily yield exceeds six hundred barrels per day. A large portion of this oil finds a market at Cleveland. The balance finds its way to this place. The refineries located up Saw Mill Run and at Manchester have purchased liberally. The oil is towed up by towboats and landed at the works, the boats then return after another load. The oil market during the week has presented no change worthy of particular mention. The week's receipts from all points reach 57,639 barrels, being larger than the week previous. The sales of Crude were not very extensive; in the absence of large transactions, there was a fair amount of moderate sales. The rates were unchanged. Crude in bulk and packages returned, light oil, 13¾@13¾c; for good marketable oil, 13¾@13¾c was obtained. Sales including packages, 18¾@18¾c. Sales of Smith's Ferry oil in bulk, 13½c ℔ gallon.

TAR—There was some inquiry early in the week. Dealers, however, soon obtained a supply. The market again became dull, and the Tar was neglected.

REFINED OILS—The market was unsettled. Sales during the week were made at various prices. The unsettled state of the money market together with the fluctuations in gold made dealers cautious. The principal transactions were in bonded, for future delivery, the nominal rates on the spot or for delivery this month were 33½c for Philadelphia delivery, immediate, 40½c was demanded; July delivery, Philadelphia, 42c was the current price. Free Oil was dull, the sales being confined to lots to meet the wants of the local trade at irregular prices. The news from Europe being warlike, these figures must be taken with a reasonable allowance, subject to the changes that may take place at any moment.

LUBRICATING OILS—The market was steady with a fair trade demand. Prices have undergone no change.

CRUDE OIL—The market on Saturday was dull; buyers were disposed to hold off. The only transactions in crude were the following: 100 bbls—packages returned, 13½c; and 300 bbls—including packages—19c.

REFINED OIL was more fancied. There was more inquiry for future delivery; holders appeared firmer in their views. Among the sales were the following: 500 bbls bonded July delivery—from 1st to 15th b. o.—at 41½c; sales 500 bbls do b. o.—September delivery, Philadelphia—40; sales 500 bbls do same terms and conditions—4c; and 500 bbls for October delivery, Philadelphia, 45c.

Oil Receipts Per Allegheny and Ohio River.

J. Mushall, bbls	100	J. Galingher, s. f. bulk	800
Nat. Ref. Co. bbls	300	Brewer, Burke & Co.	
W. P. Logan, bbls	55	bbls	45
Fisher Bros., bulk	360	Penna. Salt Co. bulk	500
			4,600

Iron Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, June 16.—The market for pig metal is very firm at the recent advance, and many makers are indifferent about contracting at present prices. Sales 1,000 tons No. 1 foundry at $49@44; and No. 2 at $42; also 1,000 tons grey forge at $37. Scotch Pig—The entire stock here, in first hands, is held by one house. We quote at $47. Blooms are very dull, and charcoal are offered at $80a100. Manufactured iron meets with a limited inquiry within the range of our quotations.

IRONTON, OHIO, June 14.—The *Register* says, The prospects of a general suspension of the rolling mills in the West, during the summer, operate somewhat against the sympathy of the price of pig iron with that of gold. Quotations may still be given at $50@53 for No. 1 foundry, and $47@49 for No. 2 mill. We hear, however, of transactions in No. 2 mill at $50, the iron being of a superior quality. The furnaces are constantly shipping iron to this point, and consignments are frequently made. The sales of pig in this Revenue District, during the month of May, comprised nearly 2,000 tons. It is rumored that two large stone coal furnaces will be built in this vicinity, but we have failed to learn of any definite arrangements.

The market in manufactured iron is stagnant. Prices are unchanged, though the tendency is to favor buyers. The rolling mills in this place will probably cease operations some time in July. Extensive improvements are being made at the old mill. Transactions in nails are well kept up, with prices firm at $6 50 for 10d.

BALTIMORE, June 16.—Iron is in fair demand and firmer. We quote Baltimore Charcoal Forge at $45 00 to 47 50, and Anthracite at 44 00 for No. 1 Ashland; 40 00 for No. 2 do, and 35 00 ℔ ton for No. 3 do. Scotch Pig is selling at 46 00 to 48 00 ℔ ton.

ST. LOUIS, June 15.—Iron and nails are in good demand. We quote jobber's prices as follows: 1od nails at 90 to 7 00 ℔ keg; common bar iron at 5¼c ℔ lb; small sizes, assorted, 6¼c to 7¼c ℔ lb; hoop iron 7¼c to 11c ℔ lb; hollow ware 5¼c ℔ lb; pig iron, No. 1 Missouri hot blast $55 00 ℔ ton; do cold 65 00; Tennessee, hot and cold, 50 00 to 55 00 ℔ ton.

CHICAGO, June 16.—Prices are firm, but unchanged from previous quotations.

BOSTON, June 16.—The market for Pig iron is very firm, with a demand exceeding the supply, so far as the home made article is concerned. The extreme views of holders tend rather to restrict operations. Scotch Pig continues to sustain full prices, and stocks are being reduced, notwithstanding the protracted dullness and decline in the English market.

Manufactured iron, of all descriptions, is steady and in fair demand.

Scotch Pig is firm, with sales of No. 1, in small lots from store, at $45@47 ℔ ton, for Eglington and Gartsherrie brands. American is in active demand and higher, with sales in lots as wanted for use at $45@50 ℔ ton, for the different numbers. Charcoal Pig is selling at a range of $45@65 ℔ ton, cash, the extreme rates for Vermont and car wheel iron. Bar Iron is quiet, with small sales of English and American at $100@105 ℔ ton for common, and $110@115 for refined. Railroad iron is in fair demand at $55@56 ℔ ton, in gold, for English, and $85, currency for American. Boiler Plates are selling at 5c for flanges, 6c for C No. 1, and 5½ ℔ lb for common and tank. Russia Sheet is quiet at 28@30c per lb. English and American do. are selling at 7@10c per lb. Nails are selling at 6¾@6¾c per lb for assorted sizes. Spring Steel is selling at 12½c per lb for the best brands of English, and 10½c for American.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The market for Pig is less active, but remains very firm, prices rather favoring sellers: the sales are 500a600 tons Scotch, in lots, at $45 00a46 00 for Glengarnock, $47 00a48 00 ℔ ton for Gartsherrie; 45 00 for Eglinton; 600 do No. 1 American, 400 do No. 2 Foundry, and 1,200 do Forge, on terms not made public. We notice besides, 200 tons English wrought scrap, ex-ship, on terms not made public, and 600 do light street, 100 00, cash. The market for bar from store is very dull, but holders are firm at our quotations. American refined bar from manufacturer's hands, is held at 105 00 ℔ ton.

Wool Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, June 16.—The receipts of the new clip are increasing, but owing to the cold weather it will be later than usual in coming forward. The demand is moderate, and prices are well maintained. There is considerable excitement among the dealers and growers in Ohio, and indeed throughout the West, and relatively higher prices are now demanded than can be realized on the seaboard. The sales comprise: 10,000 lbs new western fleece, to arrive, at 61½c; 18,000 lbs fine, 62a66c; 35,000 lbs medium and fine 60a65c; 30,000 lbs common and fine, 58a65c; 10,000 lbs scoured tub, 65a 66c; 5,000 lbs ¾ blood, 63c; 15,000 lbs ¼ blood, 62c; 4,000 lbs ½ blood, 60c; 6,000 lbs ¼ blood, 60c; 5,000 lbs ¾ blood 63c; 11,000 lbs tub, 60c; 6,000 lbs No. 1 pulled, 45a 47½c; 9,000 lbs coarse washed, 35a38c; 20,000 lbs fine washed, 40a45c; 2,000 lbs common, 50c; 1,000 lbs Jersey, 50a60c.

BALTIMORE, June 15.—The market is fairly active, under considerable receipts of the new clip, and prices have improved. We quote unwashed at 27 to 30c; tub-washed at 45 to 48c; pulled 32 to 35c; pulled Merino at 40 to 45c, and fleece at 40c for common and 45 to 50c for fine.

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—The market active for all kinds; tub 45 to 46c; extra picked 50c; fleece washed 35 to 43c; unwashed native 23 to 27c; do fine 25 to 30c; burry Southern, 13 to 20c.

CHICAGO, June 15.—Received 17,725 lbs; shipped 13,581 lbs. No stock on hand, but market quiet. We quote nominally as follows: Tub, extra clean, ℔ lb., 45a50c; Tub, common, ℔ lb., 40a45c; Fine fleece good condition, light, ℔ lb., 40a45c; Fine fleece, bad condition, heavy, ℔ lb., 38a42c; Medium good condition, ℔ lb., 40a45c; Medium, bad condition, ℔ lb., 35a40c; Coarse, very light, ℔ lb., 35a40c; Mexican, ℔ lb., 15a20c; Burry, dingy and unsightly lots 20a25c.

One-third off always for unwashed and Buck's fleeces.

Sales were, 3,000 lbs at 45@50c.

LOUISVILLE, June 16.—Wool is in good demand, and prices are better. We quote unwashed at 24@28; tub-washed at 42@45c.

BOSTON, June 16.—The Wool market continues quite active, considering the small amount of staple now available here, and at all points on the seaboard. Prices are firm for all grades, and for very desirable lots, wanted for immediate use, a slight advance upon previous rates is easily realized. Sales of domestic for the week foot up some 625,000 lbs, at a range of 40a75c for fleece, and 40a72½c for the various grades of pulled. Included are lots of medium and good Western at 50a 55c; Indiana and Michigan at 53a60c; New York and Vermont at 55a62½c; Ohio, medium and fine, at 60a65c; numerous small parcels of Ohio and Pennsylvania choice and double extra at 65a75c, and at the very selected of 80c; 15,000 lbs Kentucky combing Wool sold at 62½c. In California, sales of 57,000 lbs old clip, inferior, at 24a28c; 30,000 new clip at 40c, and 50,000 lbs do at a range of 32a42½c. In Texas Wool, sales of 135,000 lbs at prices ranging from 23a36c ℔ lb, as to quality. In Oregon Wool, sales of 10,000 lbs at 40c ℔ lb. In Canada, sales of pulled at 65c, and a small lot of combing at 70c. In foreign, the transactions have been mostly checked by the recent decline, but prices are without quotable change. Included in these sales are 217 bales fine long staple Australian fleece, on private terms, being part of a late import from Port Philip, of very choice quality.

NEW YORK June 16.—The marked advance in gold during the week has imparted increased buoyancy and firmness to the market for State and Western fleeces, which with a good inquiry and limited supply, have met with ready sale at very full prices. The new clip has scarcely begun to come in as yet, and cannot exert much influence on the market for some time. There has been a large movement in Tex. wool, comprising for the week upwards of 800,000 lbs. In foreign wools there is only a moderate movement, but in view of the increasing probabilities of a material increase of the tariff duties, holders are firmer in their demands, awaiting the action of Congress with no little confidence. The sales this week, not before reported, comprise 250,000 lbs. State and western fleeces, mainly at 65a68c, and some lots as low as 55c for common western; 4,000 lbs unwashed at 35c; 15,000 lbs tub washed 55c; 7,000 lbs Georgia 38a46c; 19,000 lbs sorts 20c; 4,000 lbs scoured 80c; 630,000 lbs Texas 20a35c; 24 bags unwashed do 35c; 3,200 do pulled, 45a50c; 420 bales do 40a55c; 10,000 lbs California 24a32c; 3,000 lbs A 2, 32c; 2,900 do A P, 44½c; 45 bales do, 25c; 10,000 lbs Cotta 20c; 125 bales Mestiza 22a26c gold; 125 do Cape, 27a38c gold; and 30,000 lbs Russian on private terms. By auction, 20 bales Cape sold at 56½c; and 190 do damaged, 37½a39, cash.

Grocery Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, June 16.—Coffee—The market continues extremely dull, and prices are entirely nominal. Sales of 176 bags Rio at 22½a26c, currency; 50 bags Laguayra at 18½c, gold; 10 mats Java at 42c, currency; 200 mats do at 25c, gold. By auction, 50 bags Rio sold at 22¼a23½c; 25 bags Laguayra at 20a20½c, and 40 bags Jamaica at 22¾a23¾c—the latter for cash.

Molasses—The market is quiet. The sales comprise 24 hhds Cardenas Muscovado at 50c; 50 hhds Porto Rico at 75c; 70 hhds common do at 50c; and 131 hhds and tcs Trinidad Muscovado at 54a60c, and 100 bbls New York Syrup at 60a85c.

Rice—The demand continues limited, with small sales of Rangoon at 9½a9¾c. Carolina is very scarce.

Sugar—The market has been completely unsettled, and prices have wavered from day to day with the fluctuations in gold. Sales of 100 hhds Cuba at 8¾c, gold, 10½c, currency; 100 hhds do at 13c; 75 do Clarified on secret terms; 148 hhds and 134 bbls Porto Rico at 13½a 14½c, currency; 150 boxes Havana, part damaged at 11½a12c; 1,200 boxes do at 7½c, gold; and 400 bbls Molasses Sugar at 10¼a10¾c, currency.

Teas—There has been a steady trade doing in both blacks and greens, at full prices. Of the 3,000 half chests of tea, offered by auction on Thursday, only 30 half chests Pouchong sold at 67½a73½c; 25 do Young Hyson at 75c; and 50 boxes Gunpowder at 79c.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Coffee—There is some movement in the market for Rio Coffee. The sales are 2,500 bags Rio, per Orion and Eva at 18¾c gold, in bond; 367 per Campanero, 18¾ to 16c; 230 per Solferino, 19c, both gold, duty paid; 260 per ampanero, 1217 per South America, 1085 per P. F. C. Warwick, and 760 per Alpha, on terms not made public. The market is quiet. Other business is light, but prices show no particular change; 10,000 pockets Java, per Sea Mew, at Boston, have been run off in lots there and here, on terms not made public; 200 do Singapore Java, here; 200 and 50 bags Government Java, 15¼c, gold. By auction, 450 bags Ceylon sold at 20 to 31½c, 4 mos.

Molasses—Has continued in very good demand for home use, the market showing no particular change, but remaining firm, especially for the prime and choice qualities, which are scarce and wanted. The sales include a cargo of 577 hhds and 47 tcs of Cuba Muscovado (Sagua) at 54c; one of 373 hhds and 79 tcs, 54a47c; one of 587 hhds and 67 tcs (Trinidad) 54; 49 hhds do, in lots, 55a 60c; 16 Neuvitas, 71; 50 tart Crayed Cuba, 49½; 70 Centrifugal, 40c; 56 St. Croix, 75c; and 70 Porto Rico, in lots, 68 a80, 4 mos. By auction, 50 hhds Porto Rico sold at 60c, 4 mos.

Rice—There is a steady fair demand for immediate use, but invoices afloat or to arrive are neglected. We notice 250 bags Rangoon, in lots, at $9 75a10 25; 1,600 do, in bond, part $3 62½, gold; and 75 tcs Carolina, in lots, $11 50a12 50, cash. By action, 400 bags damaged Rangoon sold at $5 62½a6 12½, cash.

Sugars—There is not much demand for raw sugar, and the stock is large, but still the prices tend upward. We quote as follows: ¾a½c ℔ lb, bringing fair refining Cuba to 10¾a10¾c, good do to 10¾a11c, fair to good grocery 11¾a12c, prime to choice do 12¾a13¾c, No. 12 box 12c, molasses sugar in boxes 10a12c and the same in hhds 9¾a11¾c, 4 mos. Refined is in request, but prices are scarcely supported, and we now quote, other than Stuarts: Hard 16¾c, soft white 15¾a15¾c, and yellow 14a14¾c, though a low grade of yellow is sold at 13½c, cash. The sales of raw are 2,725 hhds Cuba at 10a11½c; 60 clarified do, 12½c; 585 Porto Rico, 10¾a14½c; 42 Barbadoes, 12½c; 22 St. Croix, 13c; 34 Martinique, 10½a12½c; and 1,661 boxes Havana, 10¾a14c, 4 mos. By auction, 100 boxes Havana sold at 12½c; 100 bbls Porto Rico, 13½c, 4 mos; 102 boxes Havana, damaged 9a9½c; and 129 hhds Cuba, do, 9½a10½c, cash.

Tea—The operations in Oolong, partly speculative, have been large, and including some resales, aggregate 20,500 half chests, beside which we notice 1,000 Green. Our quotations in currency show an improvement of 3a10c ℔ lb.

Petroleum Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, June 16.—The demand is moderate and prices ¼c lower. Sales of 6,000 barrels crude at 25a25½c—closing at the latter rate; 8,000 barrels refined in bond for immediate delivery, at 39, 40a41c; 1,000 barrels standard white at 41c; 2,200 barrels for July at 41¾a42c b o; 1,500 barrels for August at 43½c b o; 500 barrels for September at 45c b o; 1,000 barrels for October delivery at 47c b o; 500 barrels do do at 46c; 300 barrels free at 57a60c, and residuum at $5 12½a5 37½. Benzine is nominal at 14c. By auction on Thursday, 500 barrels, Mount Farm, lubricating oil sold by Powell & West at 21½a27½c ℔ gallon. The receipts of crude, during the past week, were 5,625 barrels and of refined 6,070 barrels.

CINCINNATI, June 16.—Petroleum is quiet but firm at 55a75c for refined, duty paid.

BALTIMORE, June 16.—The market continues very quiet and prices unchanged, notwithstanding the advance in gold, refined in bond being still quoted at 40c ℔ gallon. No shipments of importance this week.

ST. LOUIS, June 15.—Refined Carbon is selling at 62a 64c ℔ gallon

CHICAGO, June 16.—Carbon oil remains quiet. The supply is moderate and holders firm at the following quotations: Carbon Oil per car load 58a60c ℔ gallon, and in small lots 60a62c. Benzole 30a40c.

BOSTON, June 16.—The market is very quiet for both crude and refined oil, and prices of the latter have eased off a shade.

The demand for future delivery becomes more limited as the season advances; and the uncertainties of the future are such that orders ahead, at specified figures, are rather difficult to place. The Atlantic markets are well supplied with both free and bonded oil, and refiners are not disposed to materially increase their stocks till customers appear to relieve them of supplies already accumulated.

In this market, we quote crude oil very quiet at 28 to 29c; refined in bond is dull and nominal at 40 to 44c; and do. duty paid is in moderate request at 60 to 64c per gallon for Western and Boston, including Kerosene. Naptha is quiet, and selling at 25 to 40c, as to gravity.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The business in crude has been to a fair extent, but the sales have been somewhat restricted in consequence of the advanced pretensions and firmness of holders; the market closes firm at 27c asked, and 26½c offered; the sales are 3,900 bbls at 25¾a26½c for 40a47 gravity; 26½a27½c for low gravity; and 24c for high gravity; 1,500 do, in casks, 24½c for 40a47; and 26c for 43a45, and 1,250 do, in bulk, 21a21½c; 1,000 do, in bulk, for July, 21½c S O. Refined, in bond, has been in active demand for both present and future delivery, and prices have advanced, the market closing at 42c for P L S to W, and 42½a43c for S W; the sales are 12,000 bbls at 40a41 for P L S to W, and 40a43c for S W, including some S W in bulk at 35c, and a small quantity L S at 36a37c; 24,000 do S W, in tin 50c; 7,2 0 bbls for July ℔ B O for P L S to W, and 44c do for S W; 5 000 do, for August, 43½a44½c B O for B L S to W, and 45 B and S O for S W; and 2,500 do, for September, 44½c for P L S to W, and 46½a47c B and S O for S W. Free is quiet, with only small sales S W at 66a68c, the latter price for Downer's. 10 bbls residuum sold at $5 50 ℔ bbl. Besides the above, there has been sold in Philadelphia 4,000 bbls crude at 25¾a25¾c; 2,200 do refined, in bond, 40¾a 41c; 2,000 for July 40½c S O, and 42 B O; 1,500 do for August 43½a44c B O; and 1,500 do for September 44½a45c B O.

Tobacco Markets.

CINCINNATI, June 16.—The following are the sales of leaf tobacco at Morris & Chalfant's warehouse: 32 hhds, viz: 26 hhds Mason county leaf, lugs and trash —5 at $3a3 25; 5 at 4a4 50; 4 at 6a6 75; 5 at 7a7 50; 1 at 8 50; 2 at 11 75; 1 at 12 75; 1 at 13 75; 1 at 14 50; 1 at 16. 6 hhds Southern Kentucky, 1 at 11 25; 3 at 14a14 75; 1 at 15 50; 1 at 17 25.

BALTIMORE, June 16.—The market continues dull. There is very little demand. Only a small portion of the receipts which continue to be large, both of Maryland and Ohio find a market on arrival. The inspections this week were 1,104 hhds Maryland, 450 hhds Ohio, 18 hhds Kentucky, 2 hhds Virginia, and 12 hhds North Carolina; total, 1,586 hhds. We quote: Maryland frosted to common, $3 00a4 00; do sound common 5 00a6 00; do middling, 6 50a8 50; good do to fine brown, 10 00a15 00; do fancy, 17 00a25 00; upper country, $3 00a 30 00; do ground leaves, new, 3 00a15 00; Ohio—Inferior to good common 5 00a8 00; do brown and spangled, $9 00a 12 50; do good and fine red and spangled, 14 00a17 00; do fine yellow and fancy, 20 00a30 00.

ST. LOUIS, June 25.—There is more animation in the market, and larger breaks offered, but still there is a wide difference in views, and bids freely rejected. 99 hhds were sold, as follows: 34 factory lugs at $3 00 to $5 00; 6 hhds planters' from 5 50 to 7 00; 39 do common leaf from 7 10 to 9 50; 6 do medium shipping from 10 00 to 11 75; 10 do good do from 12 50 to 15 00; 7 do medium manufacturing from 15 75 to 20 25; 6 do good do from 20 50 to 27 00; 3 do fine do from 36 00 to 48 00; 2 do choice at 43 50 and 47 50; and 5 do fancy from 91 00 to 147 00. Bids on 65 hhds were rejected.

LOUISVILLE, June 15.—Sales yesterday at the four auction warehouses, amounted to 252 hhds, with rejections of bids on 29 hhds. The market exhibits a good deal of animation and prices were well maintained, the market closing buoyant. The following is the full range of bids and rejections, viz: 1 hhd at $1; 6 at $2a 2 90; 35 at $3a3 95; 23 at $4a4 85; 9 at $5 05a5 85; 16 at $6a6 90; 18 at $7a7 95; 26 at $8a8 75; 15 at $9a9 75; 8 at $10a10 75; 13 at $11a11 75; 13 at $12a12 75; 15 at $13a13 75; 17 at $14 25a 14 75; 13 at $15a15 75; 8 at $16a16 75; 5 at $17a17 75; 3 at $18a 18 75; 3 at $19a19 75; 2 at $20a20 25; 1 at $21; 1 at $25; 1 at $26 75; 1 at $39 25.

Whisky Markets.

CINCINNATI, June 16.—There is a steady but quiet market at $2 24 per gallon for free raw, and 26c for bonded.

BALTIMORE, June 16.—Whisky has ruled quiet during the week. Stocks small, and inquiry limited. We note sales of 100 bbls western at $2 30, and jobbing lots at 2 31 to 2 31½ per gallon.

ST. LOUIS, June 15.—Market quiet. Sales of 42 bbls in lots at $2 22, and 31 bbls at 2 23 per gallon.

LOUISVILLE, June 16.—Whisky in fair request and prices are steady. Sales of 7 bbls raw at $2 22. We quote raw at $2 22a2 23; rectified, 2 23; new copper, free, 2 25, in bond, 22c; old copper, 2 75a3 25.

New Orleans Markets.

June 11, P. M.—Flour in good demand, and light supply, and the market is firm at $10 for superfine. Holders were asking $10 25 at the close.

Mess pork is in light supply, and the market is very firm at $34.

Bacon firm, but unchanged.

Lard steady at 24c.

Corn dull, but prices are not lower.

Oats unchanged, and steady at 50@52c.

Hay has advanced to $24@25.

Cotton rather dull at 41c. The receipts during the last twenty four hours were 240 bales. The stock in port, not cleared, is 121,800 bales.

Oswego Market.

OSWEGO, June 16.—Flour 50c per bbl higher; sales of 1200 barrels at $11 for No. 1 spring; $13 for red winter; $11 50 for double extra. Wheat firm and with an upward tendency; sales early of 4,800 bushels fair white Canada at $3 10; 1,800 bushels No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $2 25, closing nominally higher. Corn very scarce, and market closes higher; sales of 7,500 bushels mixed Illinois at 75c; 11 000 bushels do at 71½c; 14,000 bushels yellow at 81c. Other grains nominal. Canal Freights dull. Flour 36c; wheat 10c to New York. Lake Imports—75 000 bushels wheat, 14,000 bushels corn, 6,000 bushels oats. Canal exports—23,000 bushels corn, 75,000 bushels peas, 16,000 bushels rye.

Provision Markets.

CINCINNATI, June 16.—Mess Pork sold to a liberal extent at $32 00. There is a further demand at that, but it is said no more is offering. Bulk Shoulders are held at 13½c higher, though 13¾c still represents the trading point of the market. Bulk Sides are firm at 16¼c. Clear rib Sides sold at 17c, and clear at 18c, but holders are reserved in their offerings at these figures. Bacon Shoulders are hard to buy at 13c, a fraction higher being generally asked. Bacon sides are in request at 18c; but there are few ready for market, and ¼c higher is asked for them. Bacon clear Sides are firm at 20c; Sugar cured Hams are steady at 23 to 24c. Lard is firm at 22c.

LOUISVILLE, June 15.—The market is firm with an advancing tendency; sales 30,000 lbs clear sides on private terms; 10,000 lbs do to dealers at 19¼c; 25 bbls mess pork at $32 00. We quote mess pork at $32 00; prime mess, $30 00; rump do, $24 00 to 26 00; bacon shoulders, 14¾ to 15c; clear sides, 19¾ to 20c; plain hams, 20 to 21c; sugar cured, 21¾ to 24c; dried beef, 22c; lard in tierces, 22 to 22¾c; kegs, 23½ to 24c.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

June 16.—The receipts of Cattle for the past two days were 2,514 head. Total for the week, 7,157 head. Entered sales for the week, 4,263 head. In the market yesterday sales were made at prices ranging from $4 25 for light heifers, averaging 790 lbs to $7 80 for smooth steers, averaging 1,184 lbs, off cars. The market was only moderately active, confined mainly to butchers' cattle. Few shipping lots were sold. During the past two days a good many cattle were shipped home again, and a considerable number East on owner's account. The supply here is ample to meet all demands. The receipts of hogs for the past two days were 8,285 head. Entered sales yesterday, 2,053 head. Prices ranged from $8 75 for hogs averaging 189 lbs, to $9 50 ℔ 100 lbs for hogs averaging 276 lbs. The market is active and closed steady at the quotations.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO MARKET.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.

CHICAGO, June 16.

FLOUR—Was in active request and 20@25c higher, with sales of spring extras at $9 75@11 25.

WHEAT—Was more active, at an advance of 3@5c: No. 1 spring regular sold at $1 70½@1 75, and in the Northwestern at $1 90@1 92; No. 2 spring was in fair demand and steady at $1 08@1 16, as to location; and rejected at 72c.

CORN—Was decidedly active and prices were 2@2½c higher, with sales of No. 1 at 53@55c; No. 2 at 52@53c, and rejected at 43@45c. Canal Corn sold at 53@55c for No. 1, and 54c for No. 2.

OATS—Were in better demand, and prices were a trifle higher; No. 1 closed at 34c, and No. 2 at 32c.

RYE—Was firm and in fair request at 73½@74c for No. 1, and 66½@67c for No. 2.

PROVISIONS—Were firm, and Mess Pork fully 50c higher, with sales at $32@32 25. Clear Sides were held at 18c. Lard sold at 22c.

FREIGHTS—Were steady at 13½@14c for corn to Buffalo, and 16c to Oswego.

BEEF CATTLE—Were a little better to-day, and sales reached 900 head at $7 00@7 50 for fair to good steers, and $4 50@6 75 for common to fair butchers' stock. There were 1,400 head left in the yards this morning.

HOGS—Were in brisk demand at an advance of 5@10c. The entire supply were taken up at $8 90@9 60.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, June 16.—Flour active and advanced 15 to 25c. Wheat firm and advanced 5c. Sales at $1 74 to 1 74½ for No. 1; $1 06 to 100 for No. 2. Corn active and advanced 1 to 1½ c, at 53½ to 55c for No. 1; 52¾ to 53c for No. 2. Oats firm and advanced 1 to 1½, at 33 to 34½c for No. 1; 31 to 32c for No. 2. Provisions firm. Freights 14c on corn to Buffalo. Receipts—7,000 bbls flour, 33,000 bushels wheat, 285,000 bushels corn, 76,000 bushels oats. Shipments—14,000 bbls. flour, 14,000 bushels wheat, 266,000 bushels corn, 109,000 bushels oats.

New York Finance and Trade

Gold Closing at 158¾.

Special Dispatch to Western Press.

NEW YORK, June 16.

GOLD.

Closed at 158¾, after selling at 160. There was a difference of ⅝ per cent. between cash and regular gold at one time, and the lowest rate gold was loaned ½.

STOCKS.

The market closed dull and without point. Erie, 58½, after selling at 58¾.

PETROLEUM AND MINING STOCKS

Unchanged.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Money quite easy, with an abundant supply at 4 and 5 per cent. on call. Sterling lower and dull at 109a109½. Gold excited, unsettled and decidedly higher, opening at 154½, advancing to 160, declining to 158¾, advancing to 159, and closing at 158¾. Total export of specie to-day, $2,087,000. Governments are without decided change. Freights to Liverpool without material change.

The *Commercial's* money article says: A London letter to a New York Banking firm, dated June 6, evening, says the specie arrivals are an immense thing for American credit. The amount sent from America is everywhere admitted to have saved general bankruptcy in England. The letters to other banking houses in this city are very much to the same effect. It is a gratifying fact that the acceptances of London banks with New York stand in the highest credit in the London money market, being negotiable at 2@3 per cent below the Bank of England rate. Telegraphic dispatches of the 6th, from Amsterdam, to leading drawers of Francs quote 5.28 at 67½; ex interest on 21½ florins per dollar, and Exchange on London 1155 florins, which is about the same as London quotations.

The imports of general merchandise for the past week are very heavy, being over seven millions, the imports of tea, sugar and coffee alone being over four millions. The imports of dry goods also are about double those for the corresponding week of last year. The total imports of the week amount to $9,055,745.

Money is in light demand. On call loans, the rate continues at 5 per cent; discounts at 5@5½ per cent. for extra choice names and 6½@7 per cent. for prime names.

The *Post's* money article says Government bonds were very firm and not sensibly affected by the foreign news. Money continues to accumulate, and is freely offered on call at 4@5 per cent. Loans are made at ten day's on national bank currency, returnable in greenbacks. The railway share market was dull, with the exception of Erie, which continues to be the absorbing interest in the street. It opened with sales at 59¾, sold down to 58¾, closing at 59¾. Michigan Southern was heavy, and sold at 78¾; Rock Island and Fort Wayne were not as firm as yesterday. Sterling Exchange is very unsettled, and the best bills can be had at 109. There is but little disposition to purchase. Sight bills are offered by the best houses at 110½.

Review of the Wholesale Market.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The wholesale market has been fairly active during the past week. To-day there was much excitement owing to the advance in the premium on gold. The news from Europe also stimulated inquiry.

Flour—Inferior and common grades of western flour have been depressed; medium and better grades have undergone no special change until to-day, when a better demand prevailed, and prices improved from 15 to 20c; we quote extra State $7 70a8 70; fancy do, $8 80a8 90.

Wheat—There has been an improvement in the demand for spring wheat, but prices have been invariable, choice qualities of No. 2, No. 1 and amber club being scarce, and holders gradually advanced their rates. The market closes fairly active and 2a3c better for all qualities. Chicago spring, $1 85a2 15 for inferior to prime; No. 2 Milwaukee Club, $2 18a2 25; No. 1 do, 2 33a 2 35; red amber, $2 37a2 39.

Corn—Advanced from 5 to 10c a bushel during the week.

Pork—There has been more activity for mess, and prices advanced from 20 to 25c per bbl; business for consumption has been only limited, and the inquiry has been of a speculative nature. The market closes strong at $32 00a32 50.

Cotton—Closes firmer at 41a43c for middling.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The Dry Goods market was very firm. Brown Sheetings—Atlantic A, 25c; do C, 18c; do H, 24c; Amoskeag A, 36c; do B, 28½c; Augusta, 25c; Indian Head, 28c; Nashua extra, 25c; Wachusett, 25c; Superior 1 X L, 20c. Bleached Shirting—New York Mills, 42½c; Bartlett 36-inch, 30c; do 25-inch, 23c; Bay Mills, 35c; Blackstone, 27½c; Hill's Semper Idem, 33c; Hope 25c; Lonsdale, 33c; Anthony Manufacturing Company, 25c.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, June 16.—Cotton dull at 39a41c for middling. Flour more active, and 15a25c higher, at $7 40a 8 65 for extra State; $8 85a10 for extra round-hoop Ohio, and $10 60a13 50 for trade brands, closing firm. Whisky quiet; Western at $2 28a2 27; also 50 bbls old at $2 30. Wheat 2a4c higher; $2 22 for new No. 2 Milwaukee, $2 35 for No. 1 do. Rye decidedly firmer. Western at $1 02a1 10, the latter for Wisconsin. Barley and barley malt dull. Corn active, excited and 3a4c higher, at 81a85c for unsound new mixed western, 86a 90c for sound do and 91c for western yellow. Oats firmer at 60a71c, the latter for choice. Petroleum dull at 26a26½c for crude, and 40a41c for refined in bond. Pork more active and firmer, at $32 62a33 for new mess; closing at $33, regular; $32 for old mess; $29 for prime mess, and $31 for prime mess; also 2000 bbls new mess for June, July and August, seller and buyer's option, at $32 75a33 25. Beef market quiet and steady at about previous prices. Beef hams quiet at $40a46. Cut meats firmer, at 14a 14½c for shoulders, and 19a20c for hams. Bacon firmer at 16¼c for long clear; 17a17¾c for short ribbed, and 17c for long cut hams. Lard firm at 19¾a22½c. Butter more active at 30a32c for western.

St. Louis Market

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—Cotton nominal, at 35a37c. Flour active; medium and higher grades advanced 25a 50c; spring extra, $8 25a8 50 spring double extra, $10 00 a10 25; fall double extra $11 14¾. Wheat firm; club, $1 80a1 85; prime, $1 87; fall, $2 85. Corn firm, at 68c. Oats firm, at 41a44c. Pork active, at $32 00a32 50. Bacon slow; the Government Commissary contracted for 200,000 pounds clear sides, in boxes, at 21½c. Whisky dull, at $2 22½.

Buffalo Market.

BUFFALO, June 16, 6½ P. M.—Flour firm, and the tendency is upward. Wheat firm; No. 1 Milwaukee spring $2 21; No. 2 $2 20. Corn—No. 1 78c; No. 2 75c; receipts light, and held at 84c. Barley quiet. Oats—No. 1 Chicago, 58c. Pork $32 50. Lard 20c. Canal freights dull to New York—Wheat 17c; corn, 14c; oats, 9c. Canal exports—Wheat, 63,700 bush; corn, 282,255 bush; oats, 68,—900 bush; rye, 37,340 bush.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, June 16.—Flour firm; high grades scarce. Wheat advancing; good red $3 10. Corn excited and advancing; sales of white at $1 10a1 16; yellow, 95a99c. Oats firm and drooping. Provisions, buoyant. Mess pork, $33a33 25. Lard, 20c. Bacon $1 20a1 23. Whiskey inactive and heavy. Pennsylvania, $2 28½a2 29.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, June 16.—Flour higher; extra superfine $10 25 to 11 00. Wheat firmer. Whisky 24c, duty paid; 25c in bond. Mess Pork, $33 00; Sales 500 bbls. Lard dull at 22c. Gold 37 10 58.

Boston Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, June 16.—The following are the prices of mining stocks bid in Boston to-day: Copper Falls, 42½; Franklin 42, Hancock, 22½; Boston Water Power, 49¾; Minnesota, 16; Quincy, 47½; Bay State, 12¾.

Milwaukee Market.

MILWAUKEE, June 16—Flour dull. Wheat excited; $2 03 for No. 1. Corn advanced 1c, and closed firm. Receipts—3,300 bbls flour; 60,000 bush wheat; 36,000 bush oats. Shipments—6,000 bbls flour; 132,000 bush wheat, 74,000 bush oats.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Per Pitts. Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R.

Graff & Reiter, 18 bbls eggs; H Rea, jr, 2 packages bacon, 6 bbls eggs; Mair & Davidson, 12 bundles shafts, 2 boxes hardware; McWhinney & Hare, 44 bundles felloes, 7 bundles bows; L H Voigt & Co, 1 sacks rags; Blair & Woods, 133 sacks barley; T H Nevin, 50 empty boxes; Shriver & Lazear 3 bbls eggs, 1 caddy tobacco; Culp & Shepard, 1 car oats; D N Courtney, 1 car corn; Stewart & Langham, 1 car oats; J J Ralyn, 2 cars staves; A Moore, 100 bbls flour; F Sellers & Co, 58 sks lard; W Linhart, 35 bbls flour; Hussey, Wells & Co, 1 cask scrap steel; T C Jenkins, 25 boxes cheese; W J Steel & Bro, 25 boxes cheese; E D Dithridge, 13 bars iron, 3 bundles do; J Wood & Son, 1 car pig iron; Godfrey & Clark, 43 sacks rags; Knox & McKee, 100 bbls flour; W A Green, 80 bbls potatoes, 16 do do; A H English & Co, 41 bundles paper; A Taylor, 201 sacks rye; Spencer & McKay, 436 sacks barley; Culp & Shepard, 311 sacks oats; Lippincott & Bakewell, 2 circular saws; J H Ralston, 100 green hides; J A McBith, 86 do do; Clarke & Co, 5 bbls sugar; S Lindsay, jr & Co, 100 bbls flour; Kirkpatrick & Herron, 100 bbls flour; J B Canfield, 500 pigs lead

Per Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.

Nimick & Co, 7 cars pig iron; J S Liggett, 3 cars wheat; E D Dithridge, 90 bbls sand; Bakewell, Pears & Co, 45 do do; John Best, 45 do do; Bryce, Walker & Co, 45 do do; Pittsburgh Glass Manufacturing Company, 45 do do; Potter, Aiken & Shepard, 120 sacks potatoes, 20 boxes cheese; Graff & Reiter, 125 barrels potatoes; J Rhodes & Co, 380 sacks barley; Watt & Wilson, 15 half bbls herring; J S Dilworth & Co, 20 do do; John Floyd & Co, 50 do do; R Dalzell & Co, 50 do do; 8 boxes cheese; Anderson, Cook & Co, 29 pcs iron; Colville & Stam, 8 pieces marble, 16 post do; J B Lyon, 9 casks potash; J Irwin & Co, 117 empty carboys; Slack & Sholes, 1 car lumber; J H Lippincott, 60 barrels oil; L H Voigt & Co, 100 sacks oats, 10 do rye; H H Collins, 180 water pipes; Seghmyer & Voskamp, 25 bxs cheese; T C Jenkins, 20 do do; Schomaker & Lang, 30 do do; Spencer & McKay, 184 sacks barley; W Linhart, 18 bbls flour; E Heazelton, 25 boxes cheese.

Pitts. Columbus & Cincinnati Railroad.

D Wallace, 9 cars wheat; T C Jenkins, 100 bbls flour 9 sacks rags; Hitchcock, McCreery & Co, 7 cars wheat; Gilmore & Simpson, 4 cars corn; Keil & Richart, 1 do do; Campbell & Brown, 3 do oats; J B Hill, 2 do lumber; McBane & Anjer, 1 do corn; Culp & Shepard, 100 bbls flour; Gregg & Clendening, 100 do; Seibert, Bair & Co, 18 bales hog hair; J Myers 1 car staves; W C Lee, 5 tons lead pipe, 3 boxes sheet lead H Laughner, 16 bundles sheet iron; R H Hartley & Co, 4 sacks collars; Kirkpatrick & Herron, 25 half bbls herring; M W Rankin, 4 bbls eggs; Wm Cooper & Co, 20 do do; C P Markle & Co, 1 box sundries; J M Brush, 1 boiler, lot metal.

Per Allegheny Valley Railroad.

Martin, Oliver & Brickell, 1 car iron; W P Beck & Co, 1 car salt; Pennsylvania Salt Company, 5 cars lime, 8 carboys salt water; McKean & Baxter, 1 car bark; Tom King, 1 car stone; W J Woodward, 1 car do; Arbuthnot & Co, 1 box merchandise; Schomaker, 1 barrel meal; Moreland & Mitchell, 16 sacks corn; Head & Metzgar, 8 sacks rags, 2 do flaxseed; Fetzer & Armstrong, 4 packages marketing.

Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad.

G Wettack, 2 cars tan bark; L Stemple, 3 cars tan bark; Newcomer Goe & Co, 1 box bacon; Thomas Whiteman, 20 bbls and 1 cask Hms; Cunningham & Co, 4 casks do; Fetzer & Armstrong, 3 do; Lawrence & Whiteman, 24 beach blocks; C B Leech, 70 bbls cement; W J Meek, 12 bbls flour; J J Bender, 28 empty boxes, 9 oil barrels; Miller & Co, 35 new kegs; Head & Metzgar, 20 barrels whisky; W F Armstrong, 150 bundles sheet iron; Marshall, Fulton & Bollman, 30 bales oakum.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Cincinnati.

PER STEAMER NEW STATE.—Wm Brigham, 100 dry hides; Caldwell & Bro, 17 pgs sundries; A H Childs & Co, 37 bales cotton; Clark & Co, 615 bbls flour, 4 bales cotton, 3 do bagging, 1 box, 1 trunk merchandise; Connellsville Railroad, 139 green hides; B L Fahnestock & Co, 13 bxs grease, 1 box drugs; Jos Fleming, 10 boxes bitters; W J Cray, 5 pgs sundries; Holmes, Bell & Co, 40 bales cotton; J Henderson & Son, 30 box books, 5 do do; Lucesco Oil Company, 36 bbls bungs, 1 small box; R T Kennedy & Bro, 1041 sks wheat; Leamon & Weise, 36 pgs furniture; John Moorhead & Co, 11 bbls whisky, 4 hlf do, 3 kgs, 1 cask hams, 1 box candles; J C Mathers, 3 boxes bitters, 1 do merchandise; J Miller, 340 oil bbls; McClelland Co, 5 bxs bitters; McClaran & McKennan, 7 do; T H Nevin & Co, 1 box sundries; R Robinson & Co, 30 tcs hams; J B Sneathen & Co, 1 coil line, 1 box sundries; Schmidt & Friday, 5 bbls liquor; W Torrance, 10 bxs bitters; W Flaccus & Son, 8 sks tanners scrapes; W H Langly, 1126 sacks wheat; Shaffer, 12 mattresses; Holzmuller & Co, 12 bbls flour; Cook, Berry & Gordon, 18 pgs groceries; Canby, Hall & Co, 516 sks wheat; P Theobald, 25 kegs beer; P Hirkle, 6 kgs beer; Hye & Wheeler, 3 casks zinc; J H D Miller, 6 bbls rye flour; Wm Sumner & Co, 16 sewing machines; Baler & Bro, 15 bxs tobacco; R T Friend & Son, 5 pgs furniture; G F Mayer, 8 do do; Sweeny, Bell & Co, 75 bbls fire clay; C M & Co, 25 do.

Parkersburg.

PER STEAMER BAYARD.—J S Dilworth & Co 4 bbls molasses; David Bly, 35 bbls lubricating oil; J Waller, 77 do do; James Dalzell & Co, 15 do do; T C Jenkins, 1 bbl eggs, 2 do butter; C Lark & Co, 5 bbls lubricating oil; Head & Metzgar, 7 bbls beans, 2 do flaxseed; W B Scaefe, 25 pieces castings; Godfrey & Clark, 200 bundles paper; Ardesco Oil Company, 142 oil barrels; Lucesco Oil Company, 3 do do; A Kalp, 800 staves; 3 do do; 10 stands; Burk & Barns, 1 safe door; F Dresser, 5 boxes soap.

PER STEAMER FOREST CITY.—Seal & Grandy, 5 sks coffee; Shoenberger & Co, 7 kegs mule shoes; Kloman & Means, 7 vices; J W Woodwell, 2,280 feet lumber; Head & Metzgar, 8 sacks rags; Clark & Co, 12 hhds tobacco, 132 bbls lubricating oil, 17 bales wool; Hutchinson Oil Refining Company, 100 oil barrels; Forsyth, Bro & Co, 107 do do; Cook, Bro & Co, 1 bbl sorghum; W B Scaefe, 4 pcs pipe; Hubbard, Bro & Co, 4 grind stones; H M Bole & Co, 1 bbl lubricating oil.

Pitts. Brownsv. & Geneva Peoples' Line.

Luford & Wagoner, 1,394 feet lumber; J S Cunningham, 20 bales hay; Fetzer & Armstrong, 30 sks wool; J M Kirkland, 1 bbl whisky; J L Cunningham, 25 bbls do; J Howard, 15 bbls tar; John Flack; 121 boxes glass; M W Rankin, 2 casks bacon; J Woodwell, 1 copper kettle.

Pitts. Brownsville & Geneva U. S. Mail Transportation Company.

J H Roberts, 17 sacks wool, 25 bbls whisky; S Cooper, 800 gallons stoneware; Pittsburgh and Erie Railroad, 3 boxes books, 5 pgs household goods; C P Markle & Co, 5 sacks rags; R H Conway, 14 sacks rags; R C Schmertz, 100 boxes glass; McElroy & Co, 8 dozen brooms.

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RIVER NEWS.

STEAMERS ARRIVED AND DEPARTED

Arrived.

Gallatin	A. S. Carlisle	Brownsville.
Franklin	Carmack	Brownsville.
Telegraph	Bougher	Monon City.
James Rees	Houghton	Elizabeth.
Bayard	Moore	Parkersburg.
New State	Harlan	Cincinnati.

Departed.

Gallatin	A. S. Carlisle	Brownsville.
Franklin	Carmack	Brownsville.
Telegraph	Bougher	Monon City.
James Rees	Houghton	Elizabeth.
Forest City	Gordon	Parkersburg.
Nora	Devinny	Cincinnati.
Julia No. 2	Coulson	Zanesville.
Leonidas	Maratta	St. Louis.
Chieftain	Abrams	Geneva.
Fayette	Cox	Geneva.

THE RIVER—Last evening at twilight the marks on the Monongahela indicated four feet ten inches. From the amount of rain that fell, we can, with safety, predict a rise of water. The rains that set in on Saturday evening continued until the afternoon of Sunday.

THE packet Julia No. 2 left for Zanesville with a fair trip.

THE flags of the steamers in port were at half mast on Saturday, as a token of respect for Captain Charles H. Israel.

THE steamers Chieftain and Fayette left on Saturday for Geneva. They had excellent trips. Travel on that route is steadily on the increase.

THE punctual packet New State, Capt. Harlin, leaves on Wednesday for Cincinnati and Louisville. This boat has the best of accommodations and is in charge of clever and attentive officers.

THE Parkersburg packet for this day is the steamer Bayard, Captain Moore. She leaves at noon. This boat has the best of accommodations, and is in charge of careful and attentive officers.

THE new steamer R. C. Gray, Capt. W. B. Anderson, is announced for St. Paul on Monday. This boat was built under the direction of her commander. She is certainly a model boat and one of the best adapted freight boats ever constructed.

THE first class Packet "Kate Putnam," is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville. This boat is one of the best of her class afloat. She will be commanded by Captain J. H. Lightner, an experienced and attentive officer. Mr. J. D. Young takes charge of the office.

THE new and handsome cotton packet, Lotus No. 2, is now at the landing and will probably load for the Cumberland. The Lotus No. 2 is a very handsome boat, and is admirably adapted for the cotton trade. She was built under the superintendence of her commander, who has produced a boat admirably adapted for the cotton trade.

THE new and light-draught steamer Pine Bluff, Capt. Taylor, is announced for Memphis and Arkansas river direct. This boat was built under the superintendence of her commander, and is one of the best fitted up steamers that has left this port for some time. Our old friend Captain S. Hemphill will be found in the office.

ON THE ROCKS.—The steamer Annie Lavelle, of Pittsburgh, is fast on the rocks at Pithole Rapids, opposite Oleopolis. She was returning from Titusville to Oil City, and the water had fallen off so much since her passage up that she could not get down. She will have to remain until the water rises sufficiently to float her off, which may be three months.

THE first-class passenger packet Wauanita, Capt. Thomas Shunian, is announced for Cairo and St. Louis. This boat has unsurpassed accommodations and is in charge of officers that would make a less worthy boat popular. Capt. Shunian has plenty of friends and deserves them all. If you are journeying that way give this boat a call.

THE Union Packet Line steamer Gallatin, Captain A. S. Carlisle, leaves this day at five P. M. for Brownsville and Geneva. This boat has been fitted up in a superior manner, for the summer trade. She has been painted entire, and presents a handsome and pretty appearance. Captain Carlisle is an experienced and gentlemanly officer; understands his business, and will see that passengers have the best of attention. We take pleasure in saying a good word for him and his noble packet Gallatin.

THE new and magnificent passenger steamer Emma No. 3, Captain James H. Maratta, is announced for Cairo and St. Louis this day. This boat was built expressly for that trade. She is the finest and best fitted up boat of her class and will be a great acquisition, no expense has been spared. She is a beauty and no mistake. Capt. Maratta is noted for attention to the wants of his passengers; in this line he has an able assistant in our friend John R. Eakin, who presides in the office. The Emma No. 3 is certainly a desirable boat to travel on.

THE new and handsome steamer Arabian, Capt. Bishop, is announced for Cincinnati and Louisville. This boat was built under the superintendence of Capt. Jacobs and her commander. She has been fitted up in a superior manner, expressly for a low water packet to run between this port and St. Louis. She is a credit to all concerned in getting her up. Capt. Bishop has our best wishes for success. She will leave to-day.

THE People's Line Packet "Elector," Capt. R. Phillips, is the name of a splendid new side wheel steamer owned by the Peoples' Line, built to run in connection with the new steamer Chieftain that has been on the track for the past month. The Elector was built under the superintendence of John Cock, of Brownsville, of steamboat building fame. Mr. Cock being a practical mechanic, in the construction of the Elector both experience was displayed—in the modeling, superintending, and fitting out. In a word she is most admirably adapted for the trade, and has been pronounced the best boat of her class ever built on the slack water. If this boat is taken as a specimen of what Mr. Cock can do, persons in want of a packet would consult their best interest in paying him a visit. The hull was built by Messrs. Cock, Hutchison & Williams. Length, 167 feet, beam 26 feet, hold 5 feet. The hull is complete as regards material and workmanship. The cabin is neat, handsome, and convenient, built by Messrs. Aubrey, Crumlow & Coon. Engines—Cylinders 15 inches in diameter, with 6 feet stroke; 3 boilers, 38 inches in diameter, 24 feet long; wheels 26 feet in diameter with 9 feet length of buckets. The machinery was built by John Harbison, Esq. The carpets were furnished by Messrs. McFarland & Collins. Furniture was manufactured by Mr. R. R. Bulger, Upholstery by E. Edmundson. Chandeliers &c., furnished by J. Ross & Co., Market street, who have a few more left of the same sort. The cabin out-fit was furnished by Caldwell & Bothers, of the best description. The painting was executed by Mr. J. W. Jeffries and is a credit to that gentleman, the materials used being of the best description. The "Elector" is the handsomest and whitest job of painting that we have ever seen. The mechanic was paid his prices and has earned his money.

In a word, the "Elector" is one of the most complete packets afloat and was built for and owned by the People's Line. Mr. Cock who superintends this boat may well feel elevated on the handsome appearance of this craft. Those engaged in her construction have done well and produced a boat that will add largely to the reputation of Brownsville as a boat building city. The "Elector" will leave to-day at 5 o'clock P. M., on her first trip, in charge of Capt. Phillips, a clever and attentive officer. The first clerk is Mr. R. G. Taylor. We take pleasure in recommending the boat and officers.

Cincinnati.

June 16.—We condense the following from the *Enquirer*:

The weather yesterday was clear and cool, with high winds from the North. The thermometer at two P. M. stood 84 in the shade. The river at this point is falling slowly, with scant twelve feet ten inches water in the channel. The Cumberland is still falling slowly, with scant six feet water on the shoals.

The Arkansas river is reported in fine boating order. Our latest advices from other ports will be found in our special telegraphic columns on the inside.

Business on the landing still continues dull, but little freight moving outside of the regular local packets, which are doing a moderate amount of business.

A company is being organized in this city to run a line of barges from this port to New Orleans. We feel confident that the undertaking will net the stockholders a handsome profit, as few barge lines from other cities are doing a prosperous business.

The Lorena, on her way from Pittsburgh to this port, broke one of her cylinders, on account of which she was detained. Messrs. C. T. Dumont & Co. are making a new one, which they contemplate having done by Sunday.

Liberty No. 4 will take a tow of seven barges to Pittsburgh on Tuesday next, containing 16,000 empty oil barrels.

The *Commercial* same date says: The Pine Grove left for Pittsburgh with a fair freight, and all her rooms occupied by passengers. She discharges 2,750 sacks of wheat at Gallipolis, where she has previously taken 1,000 barrels of flour.

Mr. Cal. W. Bennett, jr., late of the office of the Silver Moon, left for Allegheny county, Pa., in last night's train. It is intimated he goes home to acquire a knowledge of the German language, so important in marine circles.

Captain D. I. Hendrickson arrived from Cairo yesterday. He has not yet decided which way to land the Maggie Hays.

JEFFERSONVILLE, IND., June 15, 7 P. M.—EDS. COM.—There is thirty-eight inches in the steamboat pass over the falls. The St. Cloud passed up this morning. The Navigator, with a barge loaded with railroad iron, passed up this evening. The Talisman passed down. Clear and cool. Wind northwest.

D. M. DRYDEN, Falls Pilot.

EVANSVILLE, June 15, 7 P. M.—EDS. COM.—The weather is partly clear. Hot at noon, but pleasant this evening. River about at a stand. Business fair. Port list.—Victor No. 2, Shawneetown and return; Lady Franklin, St. Louis to Cincinnati; Wm. White, Green river and return; Baltimore, Cairo to Pittsburgh; Tarascon and Mary Anent, Louisville to Evansville; Golden Eagle, Cincinnati to Memphis; J. P. Webb, to Nashville; Newsboy, Henderson and return. The Lady Franklin had a good trip on self and barge. The Baltimore had three empty barges in tow. The White had one hundred hogsheads of tobacco from Green river, and the Newsboy one hundred do from Henderson. The Golden Eagle is loaded to the guards; she discharges considerable freight here. The Webb had a fine trip to Nashville.

Louisville.

June 15.—We condense the following from the *Courier*:

The river was about at a stand all day yesterday, with five feet six inches water in the canal, in the evening, by the mark. During the previous twenty-four hours it had not varied half an inch at the head of the falls, while at Portland it had the appearance of slowly swelling. On the falls there were three and a half feet water in the pass down the Indian chute, and the same passage was not called into use yesterday. The port list was tolerably fair, but the boats that did not land at Portland made use of the canal.

Some important revelations are promised the Local Inspector at Memphis, if he withholds his decision in regard to the explosion of the City of Memphis. The evidence is to come from New Orleans. We think Mr. Inspector has had evidence enough in regard to that boat. The report of the engineer, on duty at the time, that the boilers were leaky and unsafe, ought to be enough. We can cite a fact that possibly has been overlooked: The engines of the City of Memphis, some time ago, were taken out and the engines of the Mollie Able put in their place. The latter were smaller than her own, requiring less steam to fill or work them, while her boiler power remained the same as before. Possibly she made more steam than the engines could work off. The Cumberland river packet Tempest was at the wharf yesterday, with a heavy load of leaf tobacco. She was full all over, having 241 hogsheads, including 127 hogsheads for reshipment to Cincinnati. The Navigator came in from Cincinnati, yesterday, with a good cargo for reshipment to New Orleans on the Louisiana.

Cairo.

June 15, P. M.—EDS COM.: The port list to-day is as follows: Michigan, Nashville to St. Louis; Tyrone, Nashville and return; Wm. Butler, New Orleans, Cincinnati; Clifton, Memphis, Cincinnati; Anna White, Nashville, St. Louis; Argosy, Louisville and return. The Michigan had 2 empty barges. The Tyrone brought out 42 hhds tobacco for reshipment to New Orleans, and 8 tons bar iron for Memphis. The Butler has nothing. She goes to Cincinnati for repairs. The Clifton has 6,000 bales cotton and a fair amount of other freight. The White and Argosy were nearly light. The Underwriter raised the hull of the Convoy No. 2 to-day.

The steam hose attached to the pumping apparatus lately received from Cincinnati, broke loose from the couplings, one of the latter breaking the leg of John Crawford, of Newport, engineer of the Underwriter. The fractures are compound, and it is not certain that amputation can be avoided. Joe Able, a well known boatstore proprietor, received notice yesterday that he had drawn $165,000 in a New York lottery. Unfortunately, the writer told Joe that the price of the ticket ($5) had not been forwarded, but if done immediately, the prize would be forwarded by express. Joe did not bite.

St. Paul.

June 9.—As the steamer Clara Hine was approaching Lake City, on Thursday evening, on her way up the river, she encountered a fearful gale, which drove her rapidly toward the shore. The Clara had four or five barges in tow, which served to render her still more unmanageable. Some of the barges became detached and were washed ashore. The storm was one of the severest ever known on Lake Pepin, and it is said the waves literally ripped off the guards of the Clara, and dashed over her lower deck, filling her with water, and sinking her near the shore in eight or ten feet of water. The barges were washed high and dry, and sustained little or no damage.

The steamer G. H. Wilson was sent to the relief of the sunken vessel, and was engaged yesterday in rendering all possible aid in saving the boat and barges, together with their cargoes, though some fears were entertained that the storm of yesterday would break up the steamer, as she remained exposed to the fury of the waves, with two feet of water over her boiler deck.

The barges and the goods were all safe, and no accident to life or limb has been reported.

Burning of the Magnolia.

The telegraph brought the news of the total destruction of the above boat, on Friday, at St. Louis. She was insured for $30,000, in the following offices of Cincinnati: Enterprise, $10,000; Eureka, Buckeye State, Central, Union and Ohio Valley, $5,000 each: for $2,500 in the Boatmen's, and for a similar amount in the Merchants'.

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PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS, UNDER THE COGNIZANCE OF THE BUREAU OF EQUIPMENT AND RECRUITING, TO BE SUPPLIED TO THE DIFFERENT NAVY YARDS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT, BUREAU OF EQUIPMENT & RECRUITING, Washington, June 1, 1866.

Sealed Proposals, to furnish Materials for the Navy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1867, will be received at this Bureau until 10 o'clock, A. M., of the 2d DAY OF JULY NEXT, at which time the Proposals will be opened.

The proposals must be addressed to the Chief of the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting, Navy Department, Washington, and must be endorsed "Proposals for Materials, &c., for the Navy," that they may be distinguished from other business letters.

Printed schedules for any class, together with instructions to bidders, giving the forms of proposal, of guaranty, and of certificates of guarantors, will be furnished to such persons as desire to bid, on application to the Commandants of the different yards, and those of all the yards on application to the Bureau.

The Commandant of each navy yard and the Purchasing pay master of each station will have a copy of the schedules of the other yards for examination only, in order that persons who intend to bid may judge whether it is desirable to make application for any of the classes of those yards.

The proposal must be for the whole of a class; and all applications for information, or for the examination of samples, must be made to the Commandants of the respective yards.

The proposals must be accompanied by a certificate from the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which the bidder resides that he has a license to deal in the articles for which he proposes; and he must further show that he is a manufacturer of, or a regular dealer in, the articles which he offers to supply. The guarantors must be certified by the Assessor of Internal Revenue for the District in which they reside.

The contract will be awarded to the person who makes the lowest bid and gives the guaranty required by law, the Navy Department, however, reserving the right to reject the lowest bid for any which it may deem exorbitant.

Securities in the full amount will be required to sign the contract, and their responsibility must be certified to the satisfaction of the Navy Department. As additional security twenty per centum will be withheld from the amount of the bills until the contract shall have been completed, and eighty per centum of the amount of each bill approved in triplicate by the Commandants of the respective yards, will be paid by the Paymaster of the Station designated in the contract in funds, or certificates, at the option of the Government, within ten days after the warrant for the same shall have been passed by the Secretary of the Treasury.

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